白翼章（ハクヨクショウ）

特定レートの喰種を駆逐した、
あるいはその能力があると判断された
捜査官に贈られる。

CCGの象徴でもある、鳩のつばさのモチーフ。

白単翼章（ハクタンヨクショウ）
Sレート

白双翼章（ハクソウヨクショウ）
SSレート

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東京喰種:re

トーキョーグール TOKYO GHOUL

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cover design Hideaki Shimada (L.S.D.)

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TOKYO GHOUL :re

群集に紛れ、ヒトの肉を喰らう。
ヒトの形をしながら、
ヒトとは異なる存在…"喰種(グール)"。

"喰種"を駆逐・研究する〔CCG〕は、
あるひとつの命題を果たすため、
実験体集団を新設。
――その名は「クインクス」。

「まともな人間」ではない彼らと、
佐々木琲世(ささきはいせ)一等捜査官が
"東京(このまち)"で向き合うものとは――!?

［クインクス］班 編成

［班長］

● 瓜江久生(うりえ くき) ［二等捜査官(77期)］第七アカデミージュニア

● 19(2/12生)男 ● Blood type：O ● Size：173.5cm/60kg ● Rc type：甲赫
● Quinque：ツナギ <plain>（尾赫 -Rate/C）● Honors：特待アカデミー生

● 不知吟士(しらず ぎんし) ［三等捜査官(77期)］第七アカデミージュニア

● 19(3/8生)男 ● Blood type：A ● Size：176cm/55kg ● Rc type：羽赫
● Quinque：ツナギ <plain>（尾赫 -Rate/C）● Skill：大型二輪、普通免許

● 六月 透(むつき とおる) ［三等捜査官(77期)］第二アカデミージュニア

● 19(12/14生)女 ● Blood type：AB ● Size：165cm/48kg ● Rc type：尾赫
● Quinque：アブクソル、イフラフト（鱗赫 -Rate/B）● Skill：両利き、常時赫眼（右）

● 米林才子(よねばやし さいこ) ［三等捜査官(77期)］第七アカデミージュニア

● 19(9/4生)女 ● Blood type：B ● Size：143cm/[illegible]0kg ● Rc type：鱗赫
● Quinque：ぼくさつ2号（甲赫 -Rate/B）● Skill：タイピング検定 1 級

［指導者］

● 佐々木琲世(ささきはいせ) ［一等捜査官(75期)］

● 22(4/2生)男 ● Blood type：AB ● Size：170cm/58kg ● Rc type：鱗赫
● Quinque：ユキムラ1/3（甲赫 -Rate/B）● Honors：金木犀章、白翼翼章

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東京喰種:re ①

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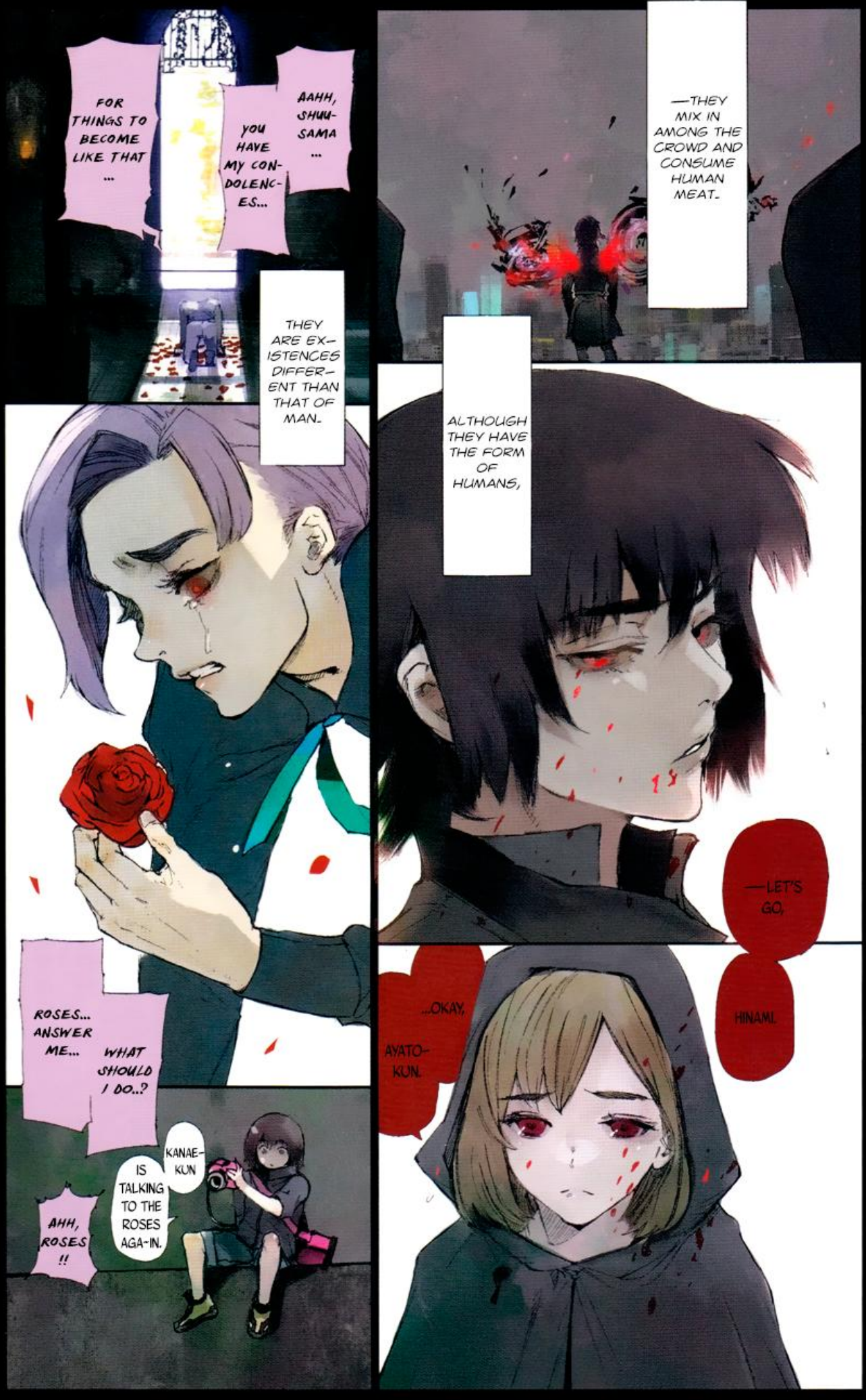
DANGER


AAHH, SHUU-SAMA ...
YOU HAVE MY CON-DOLENC-ES...
FOR THINGS TO BECOME LIKE THAT ...
THEY ARE EX-ISTENCES DIFFER-ENT THAN THAT OF MAN.
—THEY MIX IN AMONG THE CROWD AND CONSUME HUMAN MEAT.
ALTHOUGH THEY HAVE THE FORM OF HUMANS,
—LET'S GO, HINAMI.
...OKAY, AYATO-KUN.
ROSES... ANSWER ME...
WHAT SHOULD I DO..?
KANAE-KUN IS TALKING TO THE ROSES AGA-IN.
AHH, ROSES !!

SHOULD I ASK SENSEI ABOUT IT TOMORROW ...?

THE PEOPLE CALL THEM ——

—WHERE ARE YOU HEADED?

TO THE COMMISSION OF COUNTER-GHOUL.

SPEAK-ING OF WHICH...

I ATE ALL THE CANDY...

OH, A GOLDEN HAND.

crunch

UGH, I GOTTA WORK TOMORROW TOO? I'M SO TIRED. I WANNA STAY HERE LIKE THIS FOREV-ER... IN SELF-INDULGENCE.

BUT, LIKE THIS MY STOMACH'S GONNA GET MORE AND MORE AWFUL... EVEN THOUGH I'M SELF-CONSCIOUS ABOUT IT I'M NOT STOPPING IT. I'M SUCH A DAMNED LOSER...

EXTER-MINATE THE GHOULS...

EXTER-MINATE ...

HEHEH.

I WON'T LOSE TO URI-BOU ALONE.

HMM-... THIS IS TOUGH...

...I'VE READ THIS BEFORE.

"Ghouls"——

HUH?

Kisho=Arima
In a meeting...
Kohri=Ui
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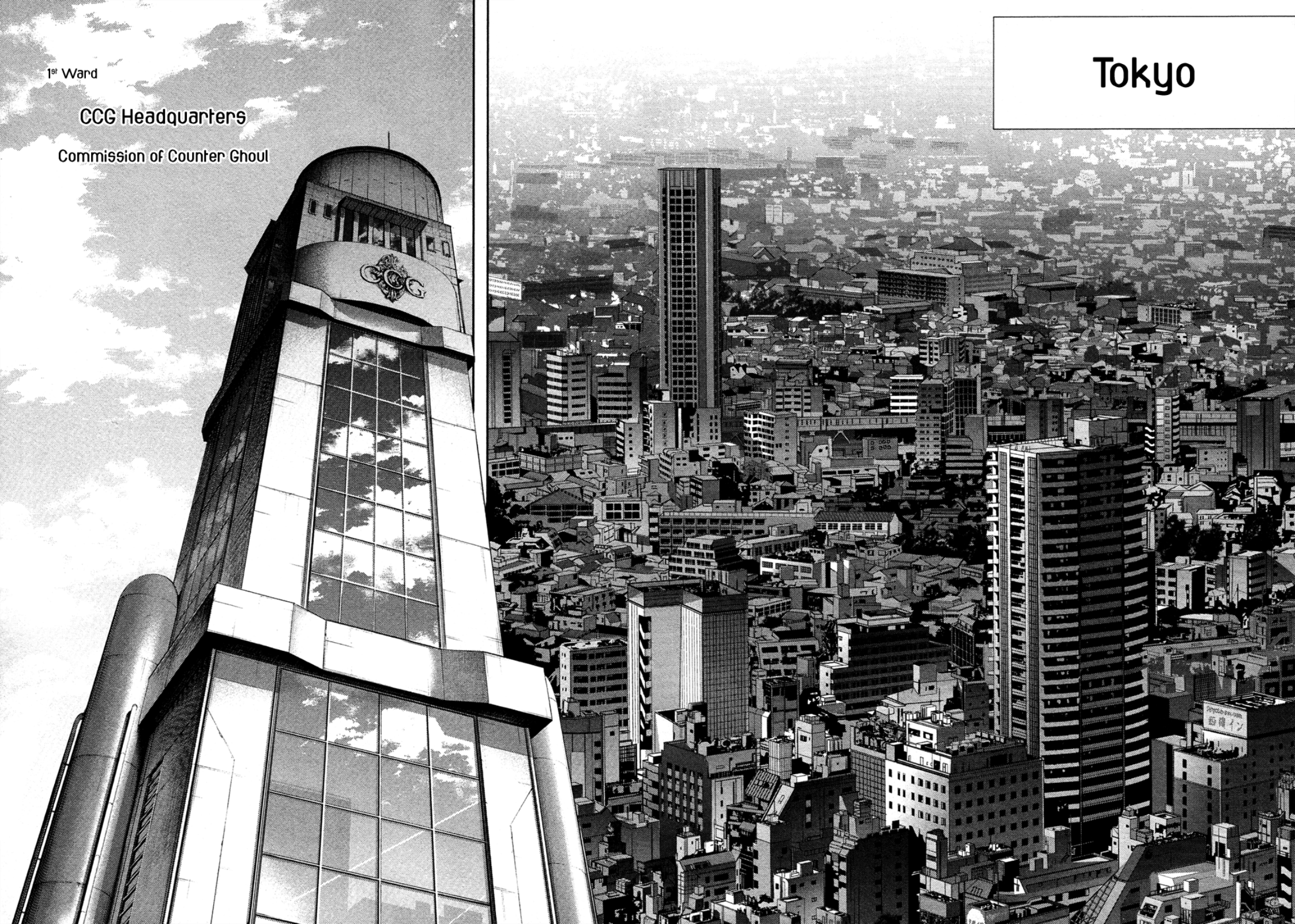
Data for investigation
Books

T/N: The titles in :re are combined with the English pronunciation and "re". So the Japanese title is "Bone" and the hidden title is "Reborn".


1st Ward
CCG Headquarters
Commission of Counter Ghoul
Tokyo

They are the natural enemy to humanity...

They are beings who can survive only by consuming the meat of humans.

"Ghouls"...

although they have human forms,

they have organs characteristic of their predation.

CCG
Commission of Counter Ghoul

CCGでしか出来ない事がある。

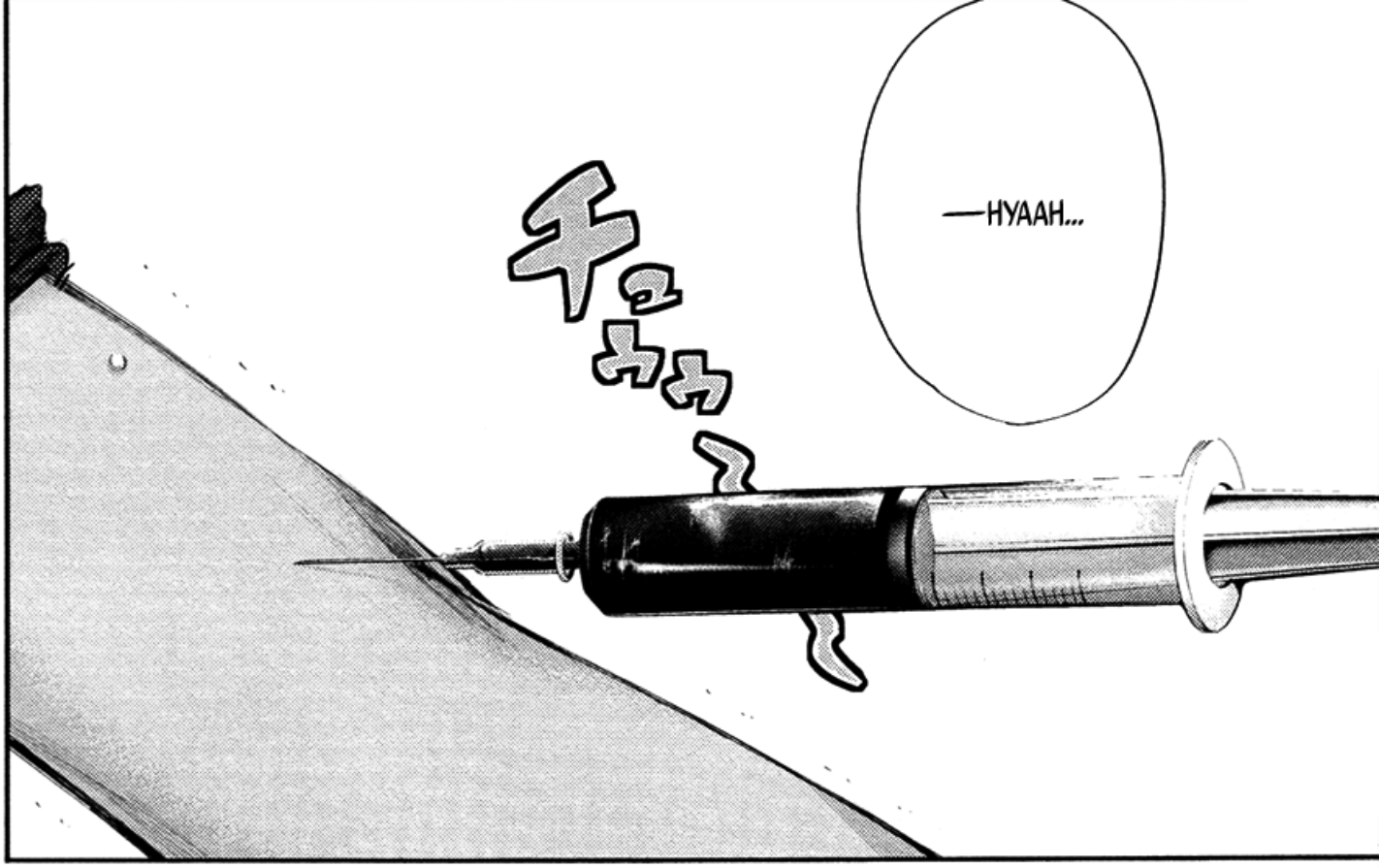
ヒトの世界を、守る――。

"...AND WE, THE CCG,

ARE THE SOLE AGENCY WHICH PERFORMS INVESTIGATIONS AND SHOULD SETTLE ALL CASES WHICH OCCUR AROUND THE WORLD THAT INVOLVE GHOULS"...

SORRY TO HOLD YOU UP DURING SUCH A BUSY TIME.
NO PROBLEM.
PUBLIC RELATIONS IS A PRAISEWORTHY JOB FOR THE CCG TOO.
AH...
...HOW'S THAT FEEL?
AS EXPECTED OF SASAKI-KUN!
YOU'RE SO RELIABLE.
WOO
OOW
I WONDER WHICH IS GOOD?
IT'S LIKE "WE'RE SEEKING FUTURE INVESTIGATORS!!"...
"RUFFIANS WILL RECEIVE A WARM WELCOME" OR SOMETHING.
Ah, but working with them would be scary though...

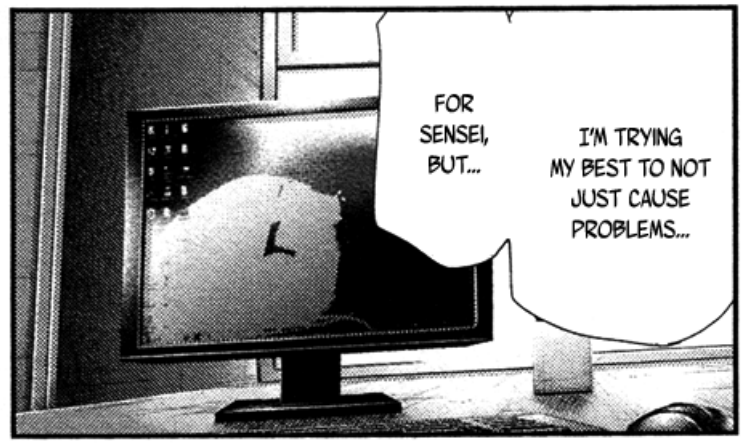
Medical Office
IT'S TUESDAY,
SO SHE'S PROBABLY AT THE USUAL CURRY SHOP.
It's free nan day.
OH, IF YOU WANT HER, SHE'S ALREADY GONE OUT.
IS FIRST CLASS MADO HERE?
AH, A NEAR MISS, HUH...?
DO YOU KNOW WHERE SHE'S HEADED?
YEP.

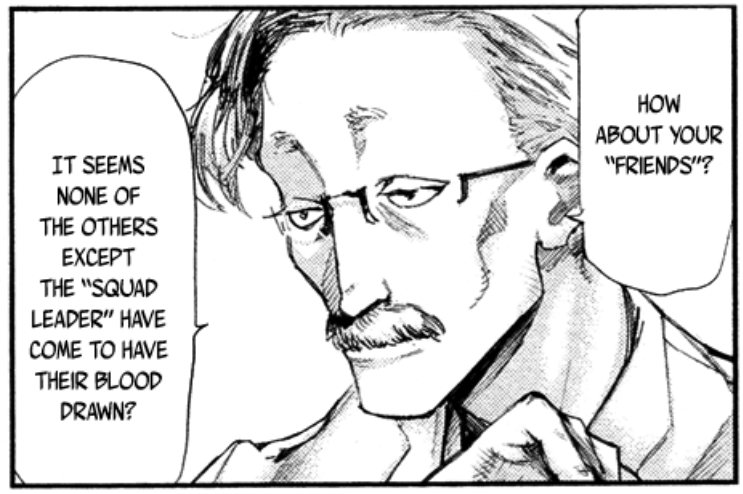

—HYAAH...
チュッ

YOU'RE AS BAD AT THIS AS USUAL.
MUTSUKI-KUN.
CAN YOU FUNCTION PROPERLY AS AN INVESTIGATOR LIKE THAT?
NO...
WELL...

IT'S NO GOOD...
UGH...
NO MATTER WHAT, WHENEVER I SEE BLOOD I...
Mutsuki Tooru (19)
Rank 3 Investigator
165 cm 48 kg

...THE SAME AS USUAL.
EVERYONE IS GOING AT THEIR OWN PACE.


FOR SENSEI, BUT...
I'M TRYING MY BEST TO NOT JUST CAUSE PROBLEMS...


IT SEEMS NONE OF THE OTHERS EXCEPT THE "SQUAD LEADER" HAVE COME TO HAVE THEIR BLOOD DRAWN?
HOW ABOUT YOUR "FRIENDS"?

THE SQUAD LEADER AND SHIRAZU-KUN ARE BOTH ON INDEPENDENT INVESTIGATIONS, AREN'T THEY...?
I WONDER IF SAIKO-CHAN... OVERSLEPT AGAIN...
EVEN THOUGH SENSEI TOLD EVERYONE TO COOPERATE...

I'LL TELL EVERYONE.

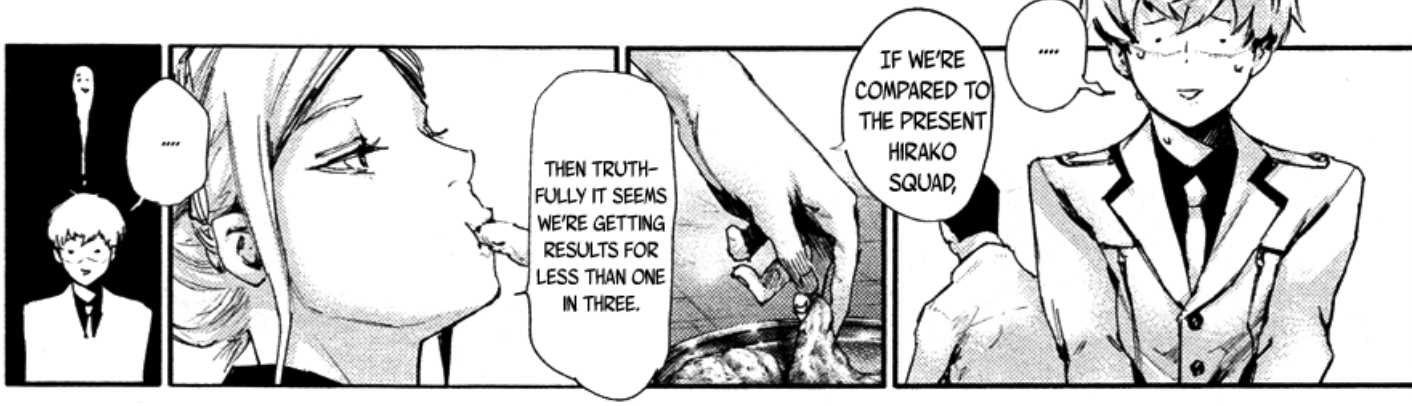
TELL SASAKI-KUN PROPERLY TOO.
OKAY.

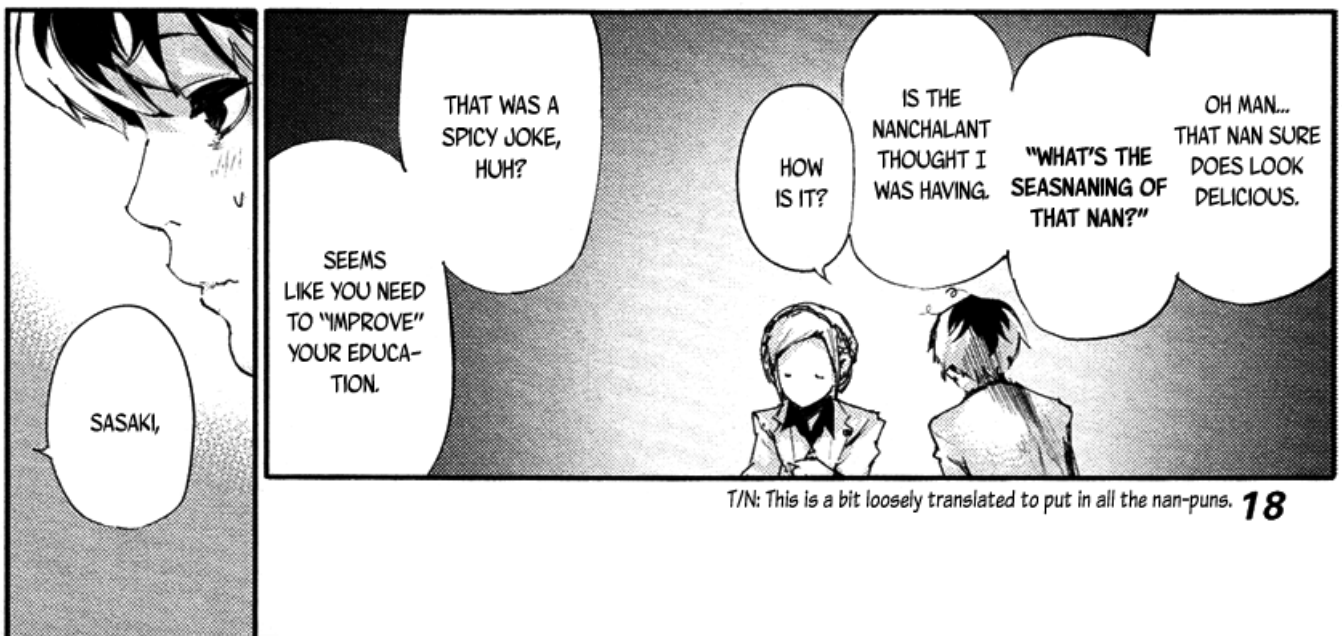
WELL, BUT, EVEN IF I TELL THEM THEY WON'T LISTEN TO ME ANYHOW...
OUCH!
I-
I'M SORRY ...
AH...
...A GUY FROM THE "NEWLY ESTABLISHED UNIT"?

NOW, NOW, I TOLD YOU "PLEASE GET ALONG", SINCE THEY ARE OUR COM-RADES.
I DON'T WANT THEM LOOKING DOWN ON US.
...LOOKS SO WEAK.
THOSE GUYS ARE OUR, THE HIRAKO SQUAD'S, RIVALS?

WELL, I DON'T KNOW WHAT THE HIGHER UPS ARE THINKING.
BUT, THEY ARE A SCARY SQUAD IN "SEVERAL WAYS"...
SO, HOW ABOUT IT?
WHAT ABOUT THAT "NEWLY ESTABLISHED UNIT"?
NAH.
...

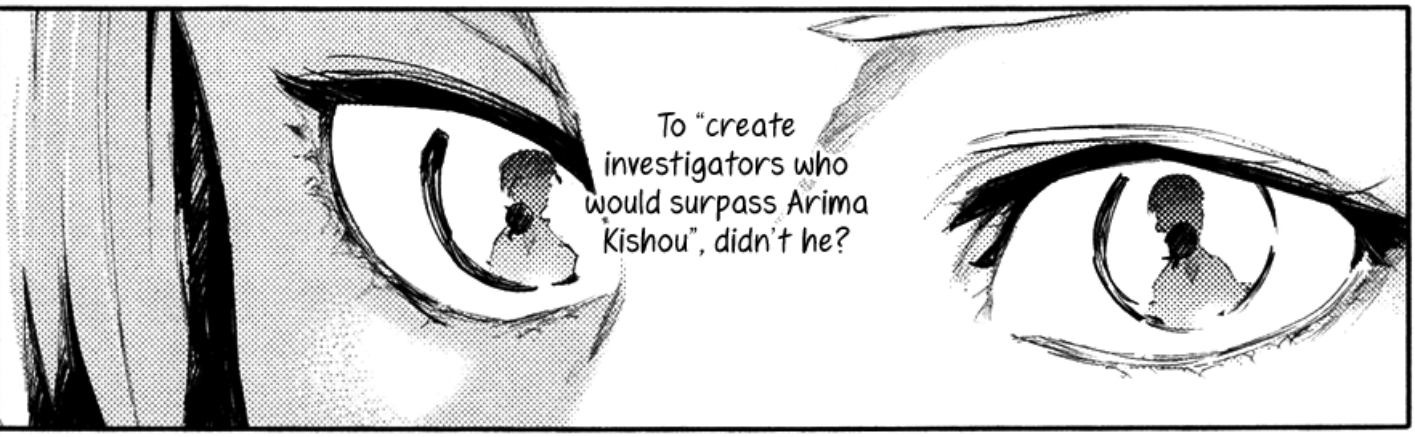
CONSIDERING ALL THE FANFARE WHEN IT WAS ESTABLISHED,
IT SEEMS LIKE IT ISN'T GOING TO PRODUCE ANY RESULTS AT ALL.

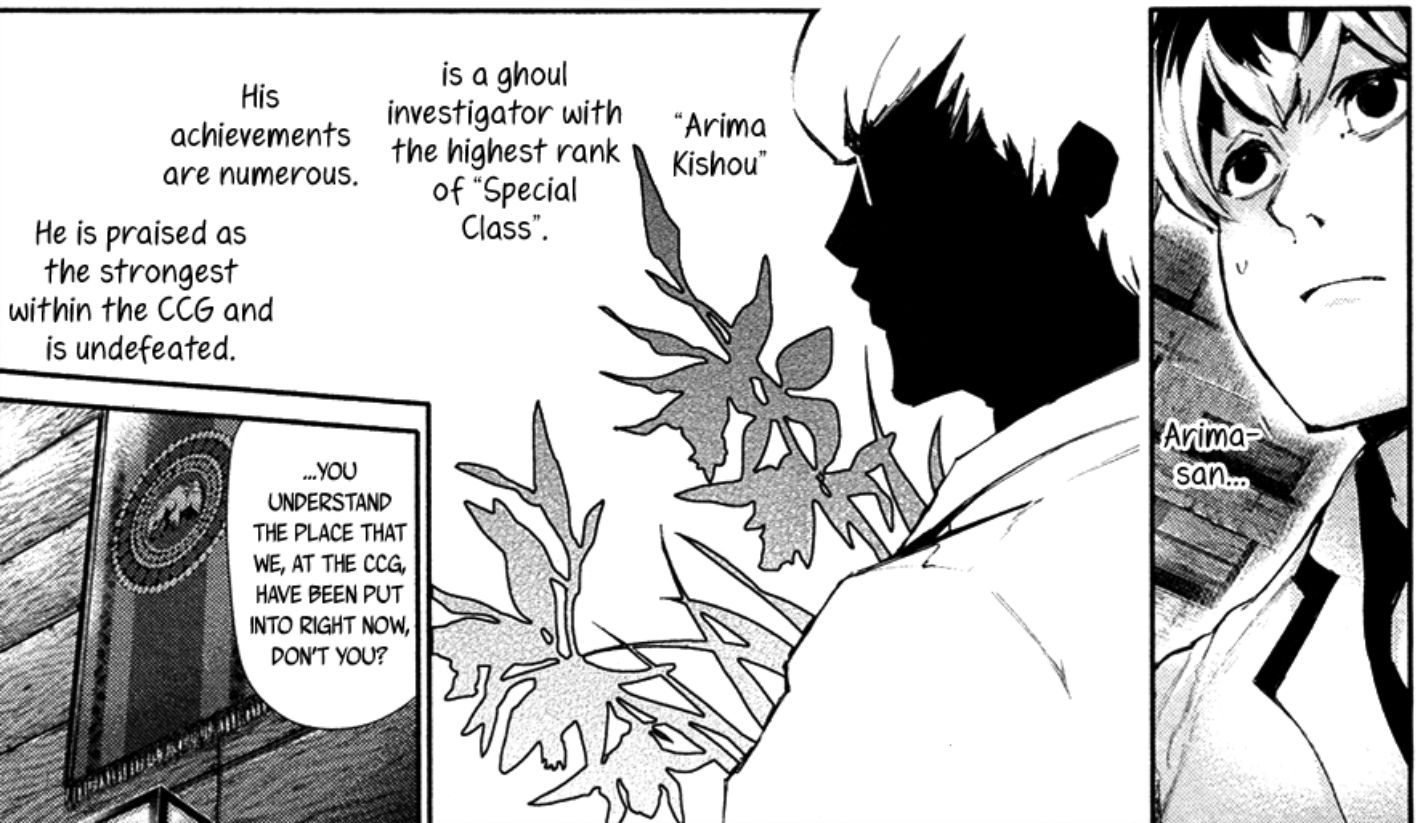


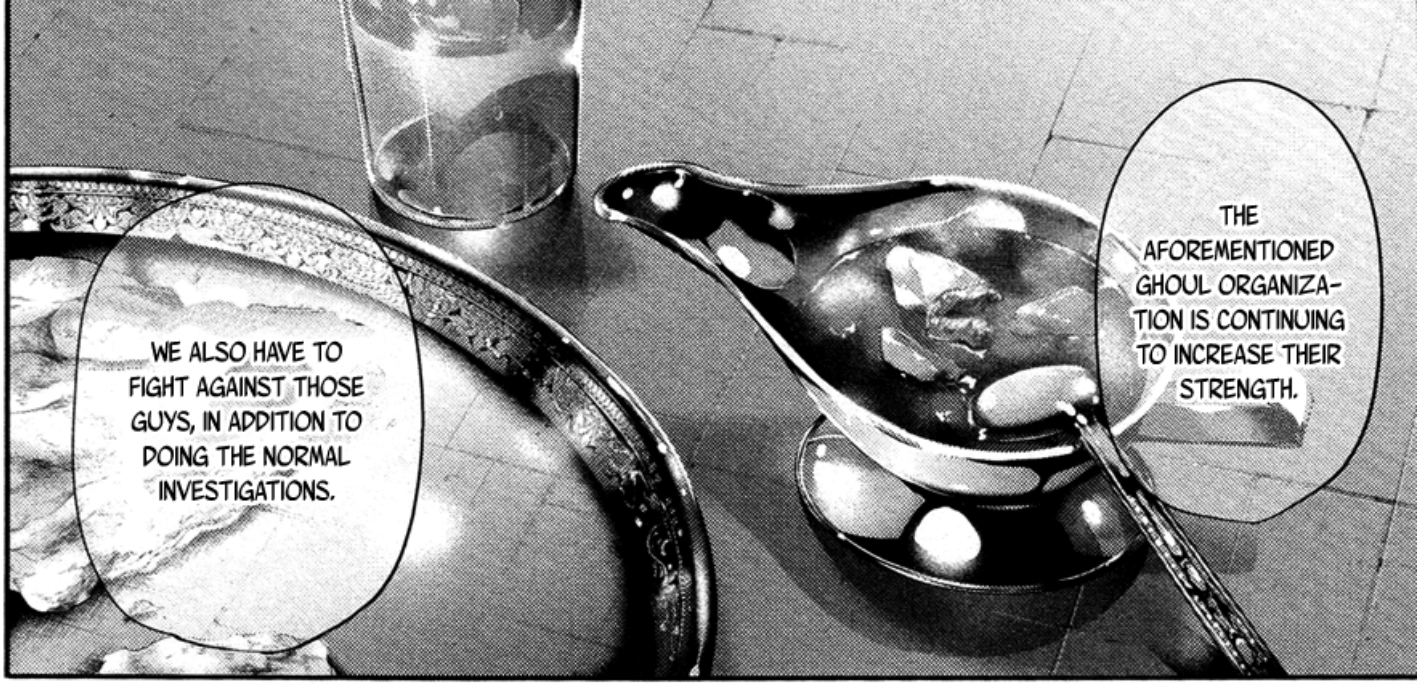


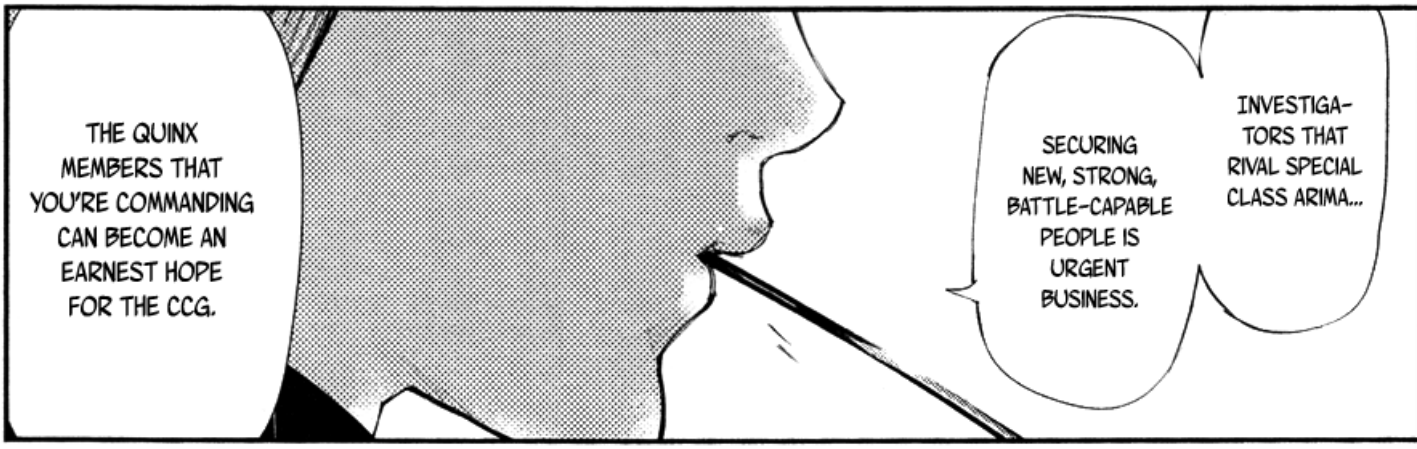
T/N: This is a bit loosely translated to put in all the nan-puns.

NUMEROUS MONTHS EARLIER...
WHEN YOU WERE LEFT IN CHARGE OF THE "QUINX",
THE BUREAU DIRECTOR TOLD YOU


To "create investigators who would surpass Arima Kishou", didn't he?


His achievements are numerous.
He is praised as the strongest within the CCG and is undefeated.
is a ghoul investigator with the highest rank of "Special Class".
"Arima Kishou"
...YOU UNDERSTAND THE PLACE THAT WE, AT THE CCG, HAVE BEEN PUT INTO RIGHT NOW, DON'T YOU?
Arima-san...


THE AFOREMENTIONED GHOUL ORGANIZATION IS CONTINUING TO INCREASE THEIR STRENGTH.
WE ALSO HAVE TO FIGHT AGAINST THOSE GUYS, IN ADDITION TO DOING THE NORMAL INVESTIGATIONS.


INVESTIGATORS THAT RIVAL SPECIAL CLASS ARIMA...
SECURING NEW, STRONG, BATTLE-CAPABLE PEOPLE IS URGENT BUSINESS.
THE QUINX MEMBERS THAT YOU'RE COMMANDING CAN BECOME AN EARNEST HOPE FOR THE CCG.

IN ORDER TO MAKE "INVESTIGATORS WHO SURPASS ARIMA KISHOU"
YOU YOURSELF HAVE TO SURPASS HIM TOO.

....THOUGH IT'S FINE NOT TO DO IT PERSONALLY,
SINCE WE'RE ALL BUSY.
HE SAID "I WILL BE RETURNING THE BOOK I BORROWED, SO TELL ME A CONVENIENT TIME."
NO WAY...THAT'S ABSURD...
AND ALSO,
YOU HAVE A MESSAGE FROM SPECIAL CLASS ARIMA.
IT'S LIKE A "PARENTAL LOVE".
HE WANTS TO MEET YOU AFTER SUCH A LONG WHILE, DOESN'T HE?
JEEZ, IS HE BEING CONSCIEN-TIOUS, OR NANT...
AH, THAT "NANT" CAN HAVE ANOTHER "NAN" IN IT...
I GET IT. SHUT UP.
I'LL TRY GOING OVER THERE WHEN THE INVESTIGATION CALMS DOWN.
SASAKI,
?
I WONDER IF THAT GUY HAS THAT SORT OF FEELING...
WHO KNOWS.

THE TRUE POWER WHICH HAS RECEIVED THE WHITE WING MEDAL IS NOT JUST FOR SHOW.

I AM ALSO HOPING YOU'LL BE THE MADO SQUAD'S ACE.

STRIVE FOR THAT, RANK 1 SASAKI.

AKIRA-SAN...

HOW ABOUT I STRIVE FOR A HUG?

NO. Hurry up and go.

"SURPASS ARIMA-SAN"... HUH?

SENSEI!

AH, MUTSUKI-KUN.
GOOD WORK TODAY!
DID YOU DROP BY SHIBA-SENSEI'S PLACE?
YEAH.
MY ANEMIA WAS ACTING UP AGAIN...
HOW DID YOUR INVESTIGATION GO?
AH, OH YEAH.
THERE WAS AN INCIDENT OF "GROWLING SOUNDS OF A BEAST" BEING HEARD FROM THE NEIGHBORHOOD.
AND THE LADY WAS WORRIED THAT "IT MIGHT BE A GHOUL"...
BUT, AS A RESULT OF RANK 3 YONE-BAYASHI AND I INVESTIGATING AROUND THE AREA,
WE ASCERTAINED THAT IN TRUTH IT WAS JUST A STRAY DOG,
THAT HAD MADE THE NEIGHBOR-HOOD ITS HOME, GROWLING BEHIND THE LADY'S HOUSE.
briskly
So it was just a beast.
GRRR GRRR.
GRRRR-RR GRRR
BARK BARK BARK BARK
WHEN WE INFORMED THE LADY OF THAT SHE SAID "FROM TODAY ON, I'LL BE ABLE TO SLEEP SOUNDLY"
AND WAS EXTREMELY RELIEVED.
I SEE, I SEE..

SQUAD LEADER URIE AND RANK 3 SHIRAZU...

HUH? WHERE ARE THE OTHER TWO?
WELL...

WHAAAT!?
IT SEEMS THEY ARE INVESTIGATING ABOUT THE GHOUL CALLED "TORSO"...
ARE PERFORMING SOLO INVESTI-GATIONS...

EVEN THOUGH THOSE INEXPERIENCED TWO SHOULD BE BEHAVING MODESTLY...
I-I WAS NOT ABLE TO.
WERE YOU ABLE TO GET IN TOUCH WITH THOSE TWO?
"Torso" is estimated to be a dangerous A rate ghoul...

LET'S GO GET THE INVESTIGATION DATA

FROM THE TEAM INVESTIGATING TORSO.

is taking my best efforts just to unify the team

to say nothing of creating investigators like Special Class Arima...

IT WILL BE DANGEROUS IF THE NEWCOMERS WERE TO HAVE A STANDOFF WITH THE TARGET GHOUL...
I MUST GO AHEAD AND STOP THEM EVEN MORE THAN I'D HAVE TO GO FOR A SUBORDINATE...
WE HAVE OUR OWN WAY OF DOING THINGS, SO PLEASE GIVE UP.
BUT...!
...OR PERHAPS I SHOULD SAY, RANK 1 SASAKI, WAS IT?
THE SOURCE OF ALL THIS FROM THE START WAS
THAT YOU COULDN'T CONTROL YOUR SUBORDINATES, WASN'T IT?
SENSEI... LET'S GO ALREADY... WE DON'T HAVE TIME FOR...
AND WITH THAT REASON DEMANDING "HAND OVER YOUR DATA"...
IS NOTHING MORE THAN TYRANNY, DON'T YOU THINK?
IT'S JUST AS YOU SAID; I MISMANAGED CONTROL...
I AGREE THAT TELLING YOU TO FREELY SHOW ME YOUR
PRECIOUS DATA CAN ONLY BE CALLED TYRANNI-CAL...
BUT...

I DO NOT WANT TO EXPOSE MY SUBORDINATES TO DANGER DUE TO MY CARELESSNESS...!

DID YOU THINK IT'D TURN OUT ALRIGHT IF YOU JUST BOWED YOUR HEAD...?

SIGH—
IF YOU'D JUST GIVE US THE DATA...
IF WE MAKE AN ACHIEVEMENT THEN WE WILL HAND THAT OVER TO YOU.

LISTEN TO ME. YOU, ALL OF YOU GUYS,
"YOU" IN PARTICULAR.
WELL...

HOW TROUBLESOME. DOING THINGS LIKE THIS...
IS THAT SORT OF THING FITTING FOR A GHOUL INVESTIGA-TOR?

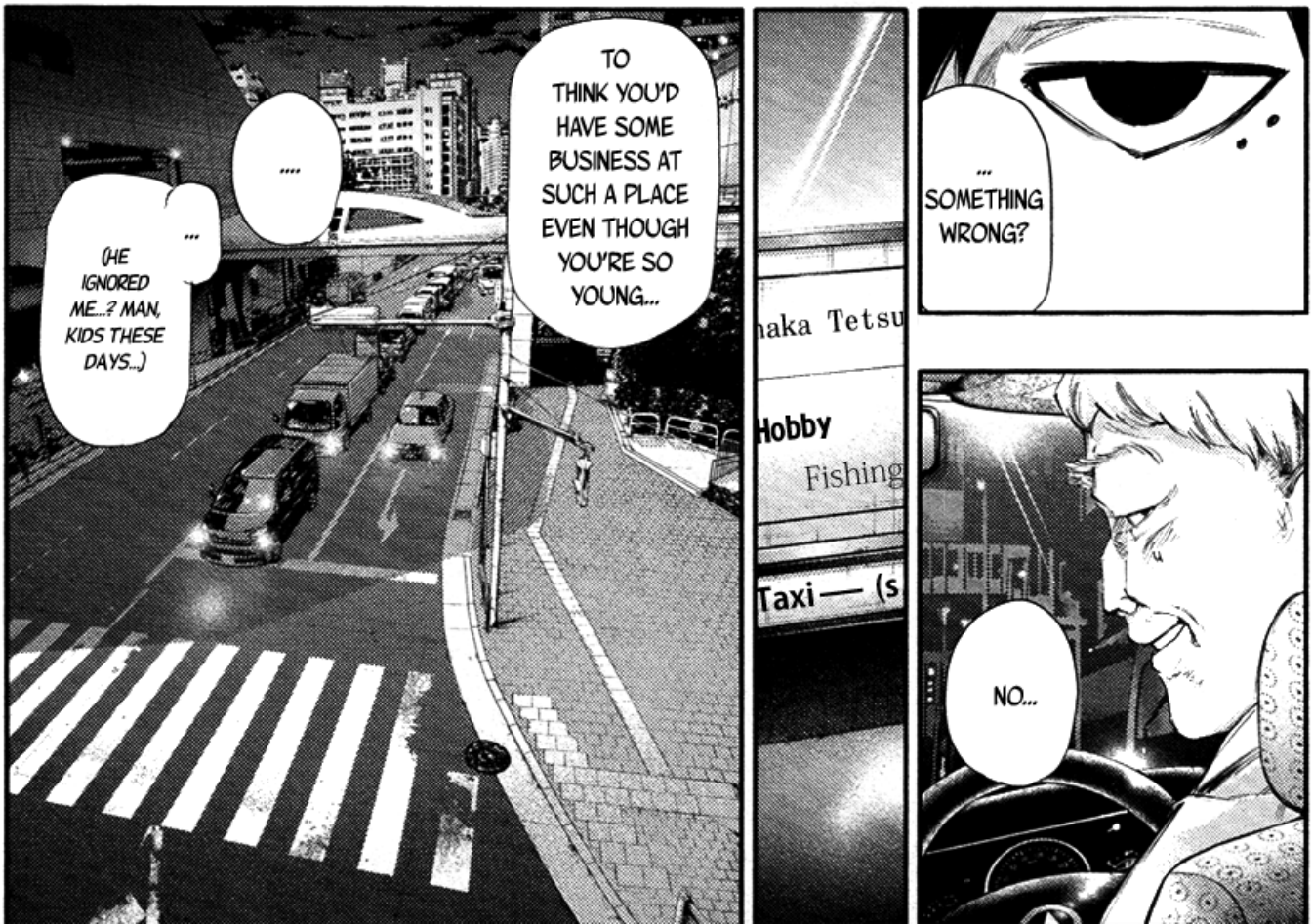
EVEN IF IT WERE A HUMAN THAT'S AN "UPRIGHT INVESTIGATOR" DOING THIS SORT OF THING,
IT'D BE NO GOOD.
WE HAVE AN INVESTIGATION.
PLEASE ACCEPT IT.
.....Talking like that...
SENSEI...
S...
HOW'S THE SITUATION LOOKING?

How embarrassing
GUYS WHO TRY TO SHOW OFF, BOW DOWN AND GET REFUSED ARE SO LAME...
SO LAME...
NO... THERE'S NO WAY I'D THINK THAT...!
RATHER, YOU WERE REALLY COOL!
...OH YEAH?
YEP!
Well then, that's good?
...EVEN IF WE DON'T HAVE THE DATA,
This is no time to be ashamed.
HEAD-QUARTERS SHOULD HAVE THE INVESTI-GATION'S PROGRESS REPORTS.
WE'LL DO SOMETHING SOMEHOW ...!
...
...OKAY!

GINZA COKE.

...WHERE ARE YOU HEADED?

TO THE COMMISSION OF COUNTER-GHOUL, PLEASE.
EH?
Urie Kuki (19) [Rank 2 Investigator]
173.5 cm 60 kg
Quinx Squad Leader


TO THINK YOU'D HAVE SOME BUSINESS AT SUCH A PLACE EVEN THOUGH YOU'RE SO YOUNG...
....
...
(HE IGNORED ME...? MAN, KIDS THESE DAYS...)
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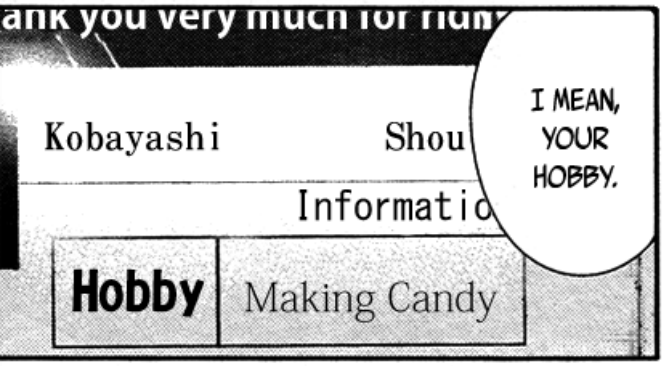
Hobby
Fishing
Taxi — (s
... SOMETHING WRONG?
NO...

WHERE ARE YOU HEADED?
TO WEST PARK.


ank you very much for ridi
Kobayashi Shou
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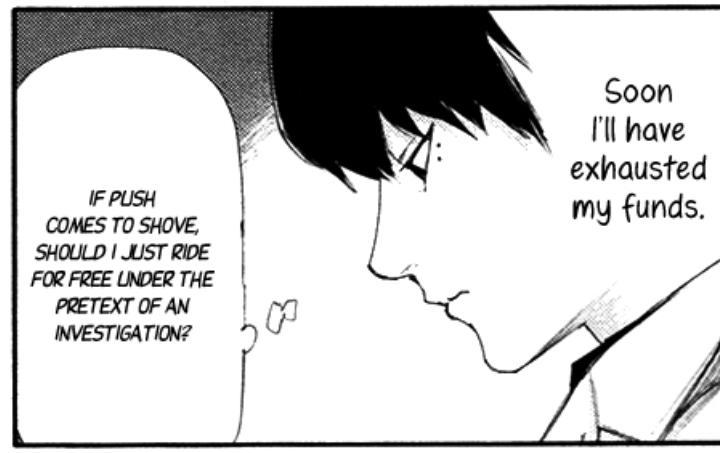
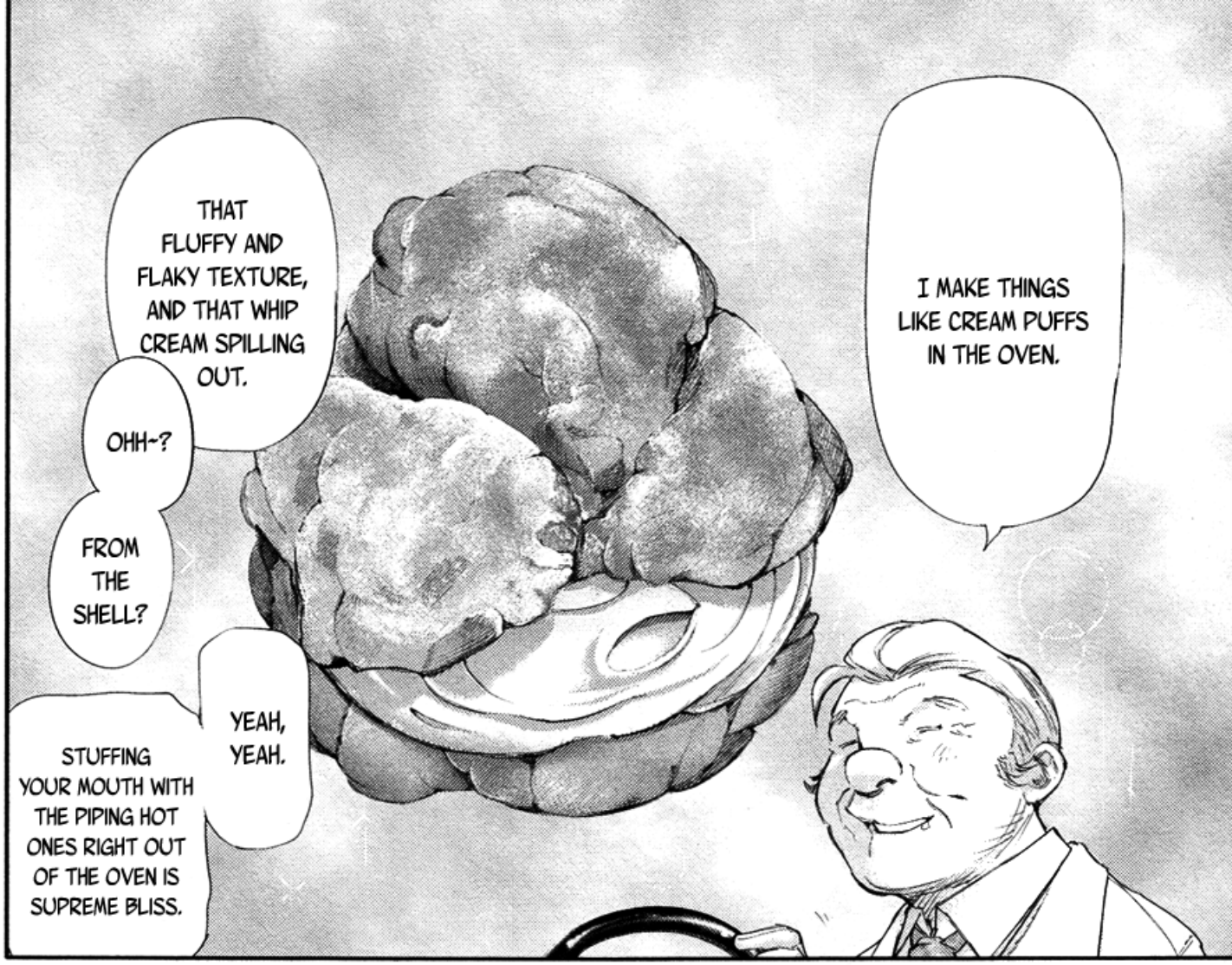
Making Candy
I MEAN, YOUR HOBBY.

OH... YEAH, THOUGH IT'S EMBARRASSING.


IF PUSH COMES TO SHOVE, SHOULD I JUST RIDE FOR FREE UNDER THE PRETEXT OF AN INVESTIGATION?
Soon I'll have exhausted my funds.

.....

HUH?
YOU MAKE CANDY?


I MAKE THINGS LIKE CREAM PUFFS IN THE OVEN.
THAT FLUFFY AND FLAKY TEXTURE, AND THAT WHIP CREAM SPILLING OUT.
OHH~?
FROM THE SHELL?
YEAH, YEAH.
STUFFING YOUR MOUTH WITH THE PIPING HOT ONES RIGHT OUT OF THE OVEN IS SUPREME BLISS.

I'M SURPRISINGLY ADDICTED TO IT. IT CALMS ME DOWN SOMEHOW.
HOW ABOUT YOU, ONII-SAN?
NAH, I HATE SWEET THINGS.
HMM, HOW NICE.
TODAY, I MADE SOME FOR LUNCH TOO.
YEAH, I DO WHENEVER I HAVE SOME FREE TIME.
"TODAY"?
ブチッ
...U
RI
E
KU-N.

OKAY, THIS IS GOOD.
creak
creak
UM... RIGHT HERE IS OKAY?

!?

I'M A GHOUL INVESTI-GATOR.
SWISH
WHY ARE YOU TELLING LIES ABOUT MAKING SWEETS AND WHATNOT?
MY NOSE IS BETTER THAN AN ORDINARY PERSON'S.
IF YOU JUST LIGHTLY WASH IT OFF I'LL KNOW ABOUT IT.
THE SMELL OF BLOOD.

CRASH

I JUDGED THAT IT MUST BE SOMEONE WITH FAIRLY DETAILED KNOWLEDGE OF THE ROADS

AND NARROWED IT DOWN TO TAXI DRIVERS.

"Torso"....

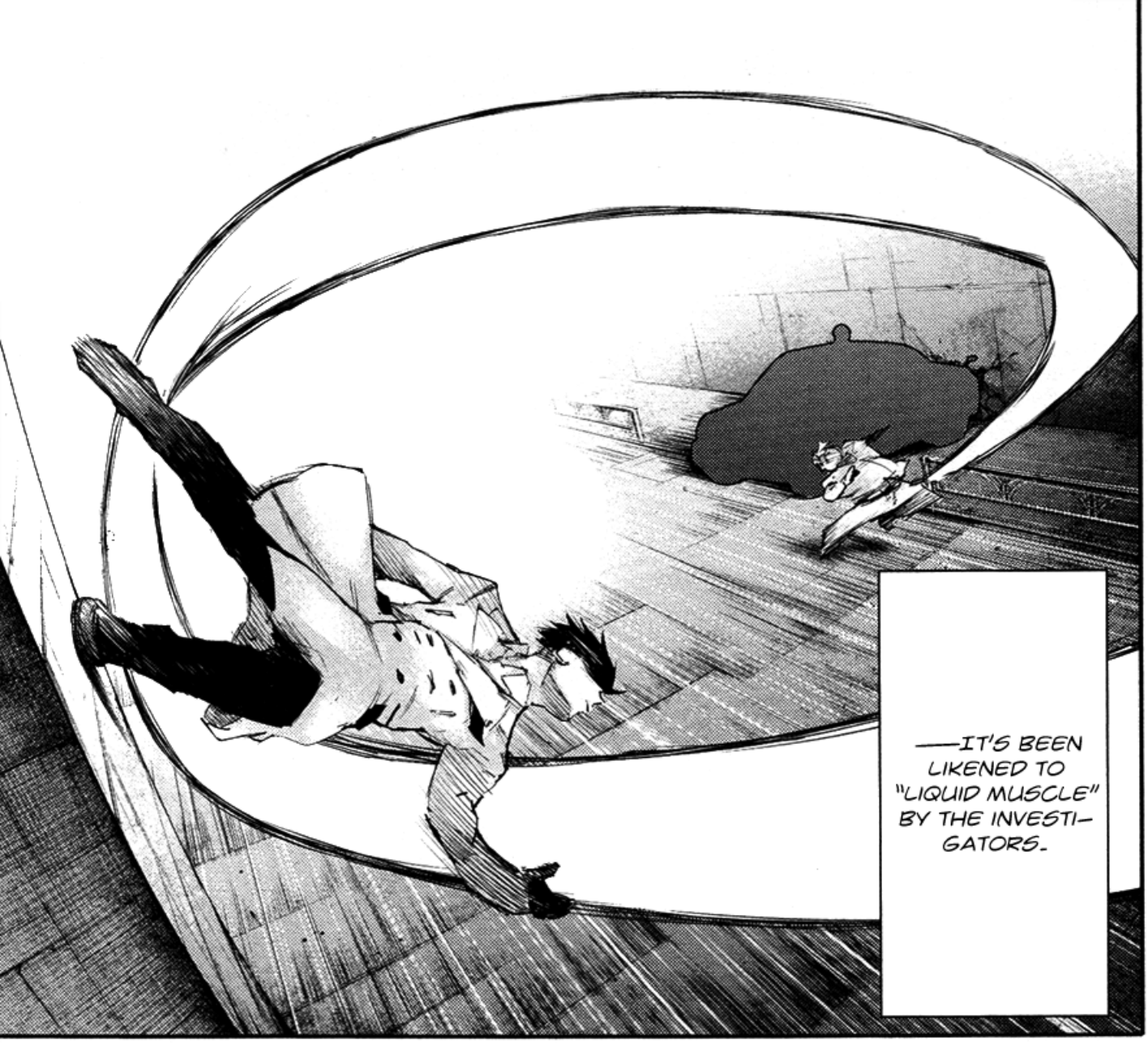
crime scenes span an extensive range.

The method of transfer was a vehicle...

But is this guy "Torso"...?

WHOA.

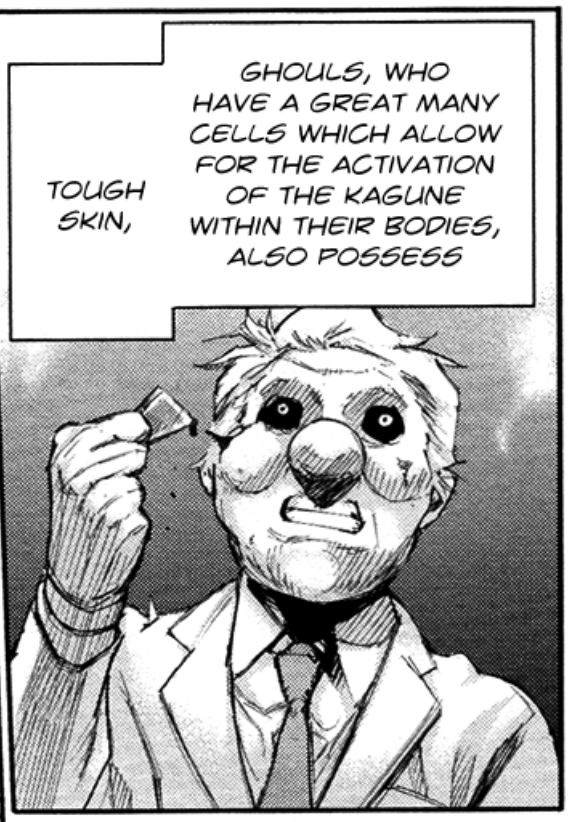
His Kagune, huh...? How troublesome.
THE PREDATION ORGAN OF GHOULS-
KAGUNE
AS HARD AS STEEL,
AND DUE TO THE SPECIAL CHARACTER-ISTIC WHICH ALLOWS THE GHOUL TO CHANGE THE SHAPE FREELY——
....THAT'S SUCH A DELICIOUS SMELL, ISN'T IT,
INVESTIGATOR CUSTOMER.


——IT'S BEEN LIKENED TO "LIQUID MUSCLE" BY THE INVESTI-GATORS.

A HIGH REGENE-RATION RATE,

OF COURSE, AN AVERAGE HUMAN CANNOT POSSIBLY STAND A CHANCE AGAINST THEM.
PHYSICAL STRENGTH THAT'S FAR APART FROM A HUMAN.

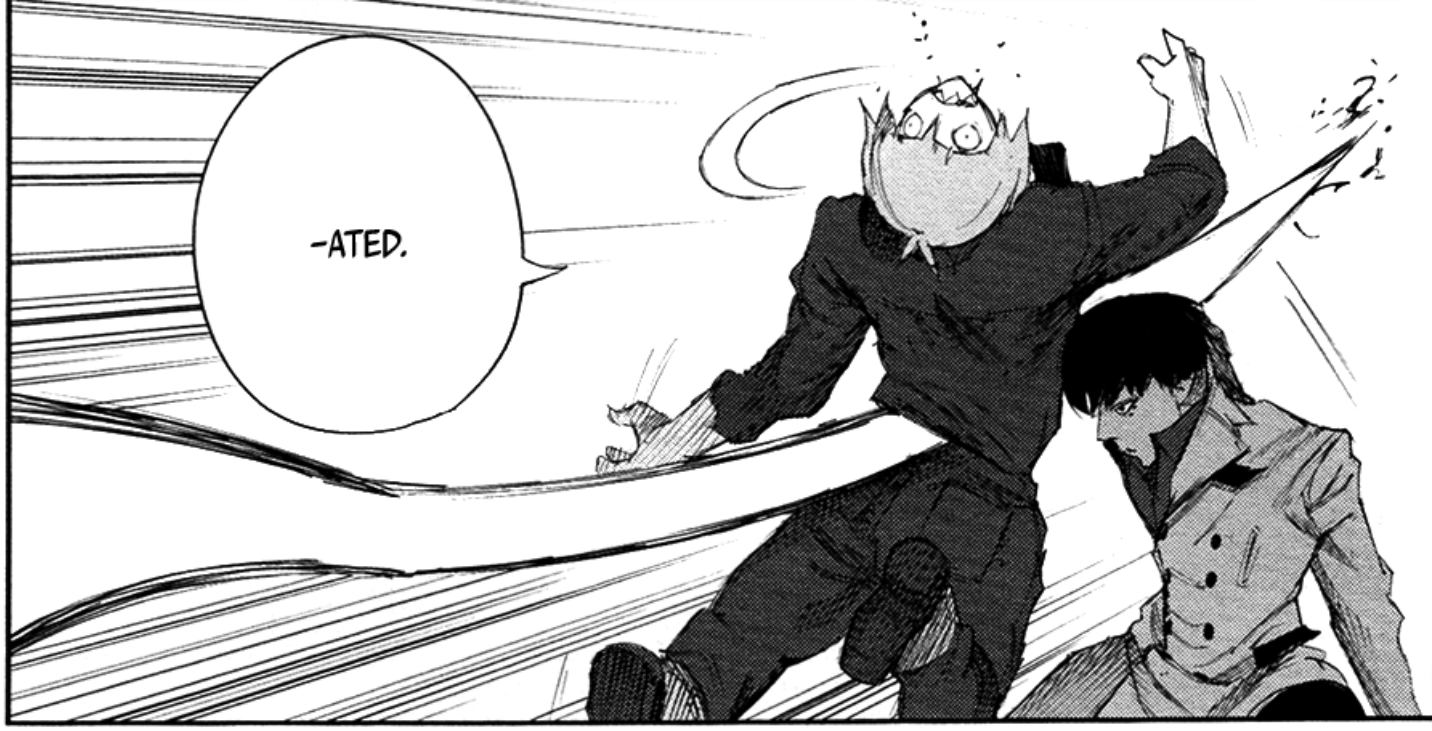
!
AND


TOUGH SKIN,
GHOULS, WHO HAVE A GREAT MANY CELLS WHICH ALLOW FOR THE ACTIVATION OF THE KAGUNE WITHIN THEIR BODIES, ALSO POSSESS

My quinque...
I DIDN'T ACTIVATE IT IN TIME, HUH...?
Well, whatever... It's "practice"...
!
THE ONES FIGHTING AGAINST THOSE GHOULS
!?
HEE HEE
...
CHE
MUST HAVE A GOOD COMMAND OF
SPECIAL WEAPONS AND A BODY WHICH HAS GONE THROUGH MUCH TRAINING.

U— RI— E— KUN ☆
Shirazu Ginshi (19)
[Rank 3 Investigator]
176 cm 55 kg
——THOSE ARE THE GHOUL INVESTIGATORS.
HELLO...
A HINDRANCE HAS SHOWN UP...
RANK 3 SHIRAZU,
YOUR ATTACK LANDED.
HUH??
WHAT HAPPENED TO YOUR QUINQUE? GOT BROKEN?
OH MY...
IT WAS ENTRUSTED TO YOU, SQUAD LEADER.
KEKEH.
HAH? ATTACK? DON'T CARE.

WELL...
WHAT'S THIS GUY...!?
THE ATTACK EARLIER... WAS FROM A "BOX HOLDER", WASN'T IT?
Hell if I know!!
OH.
HE'S FULLY MOTIV—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ドサ
BUHOH
...
EH?
GA-HAH...
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GOAAAAAAAH!!
DIE IN PEACE.

WHAT CAN YOU DO UN-ARMED...?
YOU'RE NEXT.
"NEXT" ...?
BE PIERCED WITH MY KAGUNE...
!?
Wh... at!?

use the abilities of you guys.
- (ghouls)

These guys are ghouls...!? No...

HIS EYE TURNED RED...!?

'SUP?

PLIK

THE QUINX (WE)

PLIK PLIK

THAT BLOW EARLIER WAS HALF... NO, 80%? THANKS TO ME.

... (IGNORED)

...

I WAS VALUABLE TO THE MISSION.

YOU JUST FOLLOWED ME.

—THIS IS MY ACHIEVEMENT, RIGHT?

HAH?

DON'T FUCK WITH ME.

THIS GUY IS A GHOUL THAT I UNCOVERED.

...!

SWOO

DON'T GET CARELESS.

Article 13, Clause 2!
"DO NOT INFLICT MORE PAIN THAN NECESSARY" IS A PART OF THE GHOUL COUNTERMEASURES CODE, ISN'T IT?
AND WE ALSO MIGHT BE ABLE TO GET INFOR-MATION OUT OF HIM...
....MORE IMPORTANTLY!

SASSAN...
RANK 1 SASAKI.

I'M GOING TO FINISH HIM OFF.
NO.

WE MADE IT...

WE PRODUCED RESULTS THOUGH.
FOR ARGUMENT'S SAKE, EVEN IF WE DO GET HIT, WE'LL HEAL SOONER OR LATER ANYHOW, RIGHT?
THOUGH IN MY CASE, THAT'D TAKE SOME TIME.
I TOLD YOU NOT TO TAKE ACTION ON YOUR OWN, DIDN'T I...!?
YEAH.
I WAS WITH URIE-KUN.
DON'T MAKE PETTY DISTINCTIONS ...
Shirazu-kun, you're injured, aren't you...?

HOLD ON!
SQUAD LEADER ... URIE-KUN...!?
...
RANK 1 SASAKI.
IF WE FOLLOW THINGS LIKE "ARTICLE 13",
THEN GHOULS WILL NEVER BE ELIMINATED FROM THIS WORLD.

AND THE ONE LEADING THEM IS ——
THEY ARE HUMANS WHO HAD THEIR NATURAL ENEMY'S "GHOUL POWER" INSERTED INTO THEM.
THE QUINX HAVE "EXPERIMENTAL BODIES" SO TO SPEAK.

"GHOULS WON'T BE ELIMINATED", HUH...?
RANK 1 INVESTI-GATOR SASAKI.
Sasaki Haise (22) [Rank 1 Investigator]
170 cm 58 kg
Quinx Squad Mentor attached to the Mado Squad
AHH, MY LOVER ...
TAP
TA TAPT
— At the same time,
the ghoul named Kobayashi who Rank 2 Urie had suspected of being "Torso" and faced off against...
"was not" Torso.
The real Torso was
ABSORBED IN THE ADMIRATION OF HIS "HARVEST".

Quinx Squad Activity Diary

Month (9) Day (3) Weather (☼) Person in charge: Mutsuki

Object of Investigation (The growling of a ghoul)

Activity Details	A few days ago, we were entrusted with a consultation and investigated a sound which was thought to be the "growling of a ghoul". The party included Rank 3 Yonebayashi. We investigated around the house of the woman who we consulted with for the span of 3 days. On the night of the third day, the woman said that she could hear the "growling of a ghoul", so I took my quinque and rushed over. It was just two dogs fighting.		
Reflection	Firstly, it would have been nice to dispel the misunderstanding of the woman who said there was a "ghoul growling", probably.	Special Notes	Due to her poor health, Rank 3 Yonebayashi only participated for the first day.

[Comments]

You were able to see something unbelievable, weren't you? It's good that it wasn't a ghoul. These types of investigations are also important for everyone's safety since we do not know where danger may be hidden.

Quinx Squad Activity Diary

Month (9) Day (5) Weather ( ) Person in charge: Urie

Object of Investigation (Search-and-kill investigation)

Activity Details	These last several weeks I had suggested to the squad members to do solo investigations. In order to perform actions of a higher level, not only is a list of investigation targets needed, but "going out and locating ghouls personally" is essential too. In my opinion, the strength to perform investigations lies in the investigator. And, I felt it necessary for the squad. I independently investigated the 5th ~7th wards and since I acquired information which I felt was connected to the Torso case, I shifted the investigation to that matter.		
Reflection	Although the squad is in the initial stages of training, the squad members should probably cover individual investigation abilities. As the squad leader, I feel that is my responsibility.	Special Notes	For the investigation, the expenses came to around 190,000 yen. I would like to be provided the expenses. I have the receipts.

[Comments]

Since guiding the squad's growth was entrusted to me, Sasaki, by First Class Mado, I do understand your feelings. But, as for myself, Urie-kun, as the squad leader, I wish you would think of a way which unifies everyone... As for the receipts, I will check them later.

T/n: Hidden Meaning = Reader and Leader (or any variation of reader/leader because they sound the same in Japanese). Also, "helm" can be read the same as the word for "housework" too.

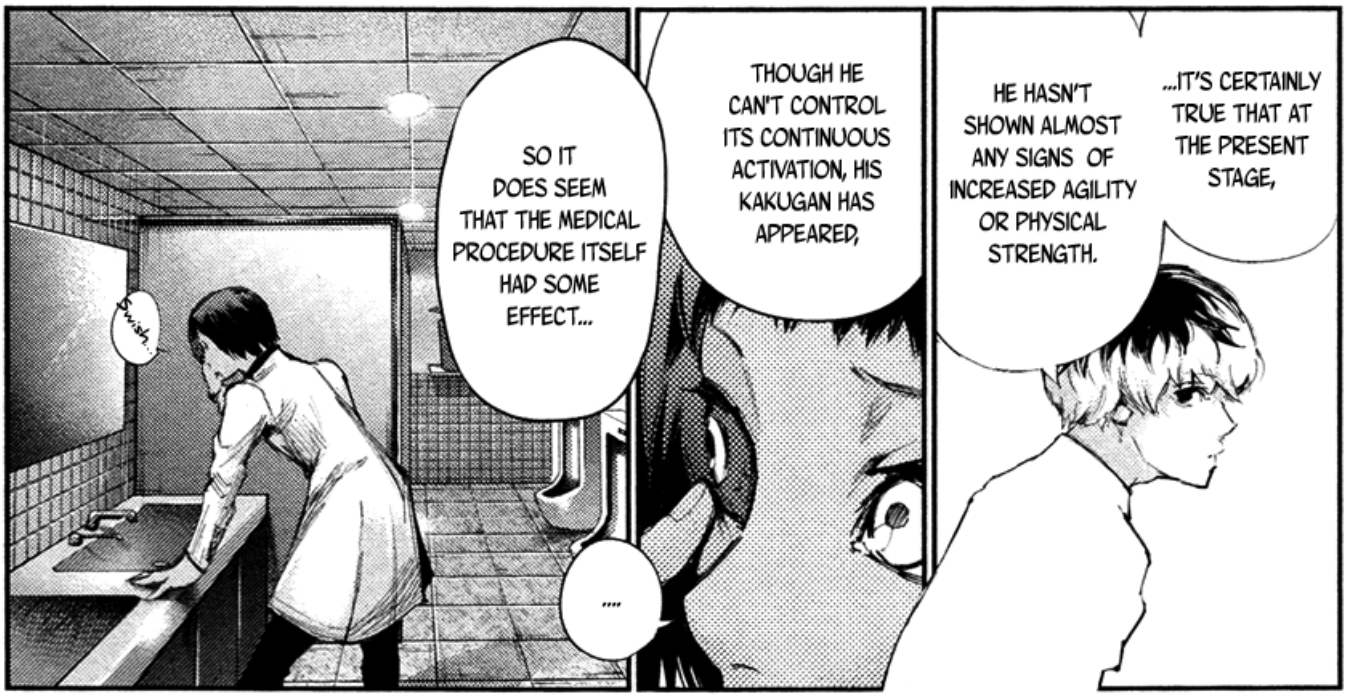
Entrusted Helm and Feared Serpent : 2

※ [Red Child Cell]

Cells which compromise a large part of the ghouls' bodies. They are involved in the composition of the kagune. The name is derived from the fact that each cell looks like a balled up fetus.

Humans have a very small amount of them. The average range is 200~500.

MUTSUKI-KUN'S READING IS ALMOST NO DIFFERENT THAN THAT OF A NORMAL HUMAN.
LIKE THIS, HE'LL BE UNSUITABLE TO "USE THE SPECIAL TRAITS OF A GHOUL",
WHICH IS THE ORIGINAL PURPOSE OF THE QUINX PROJECT.

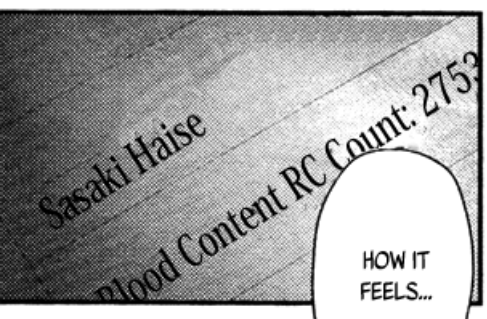

...IT'S CERTAINLY TRUE THAT AT THE PRESENT STAGE,
HE HASN'T SHOWN ALMOST ANY SIGNS OF INCREASED AGILITY OR PHYSICAL STRENGTH.
THOUGH HE CAN'T CONTROL ITS CONTINUOUS ACTIVATION, HIS KAKUGAN HAS APPEARED,
....
SO IT DOES SEEM THAT THE MEDICAL PROCEDURE ITSELF HAD SOME EFFECT...
Swish.

WELL...
THAT'S BETTER THAN IF HIS CELL COUNT WERE RISING WITHOUT CONTROL.
SINCE IF THE RC CELLS INCREASE TOO MUCH THEN
"JUST LIKE A GHOUL"
THEY'LL PROBABLY BECOME UNABLE TO EAT NORMAL FOOD...
...WHOOPS.

HOW RUDE OF ME, I DIDN'T MEAN ANYTHING BY IT...
AHH, NO PROBLEM...
THE INVESTIGATION MEETING IS START-ING SO I'LL BE GOING NOW...
OH, ANOTHER THING,
IT SEEMS RANK 3 YONEBAYASHI SAIKO IS OVER-WEI...
IS TENDING TOWARDS THE PLUMP SIDE.
SO TELL HER TO BE CAREFUL.

....I WILL TELL HER.
An investigator being overweight...

....
I WONDER...


Sasaki Haise
Blood Content RC Count: 275?
HOW IT FEELS...

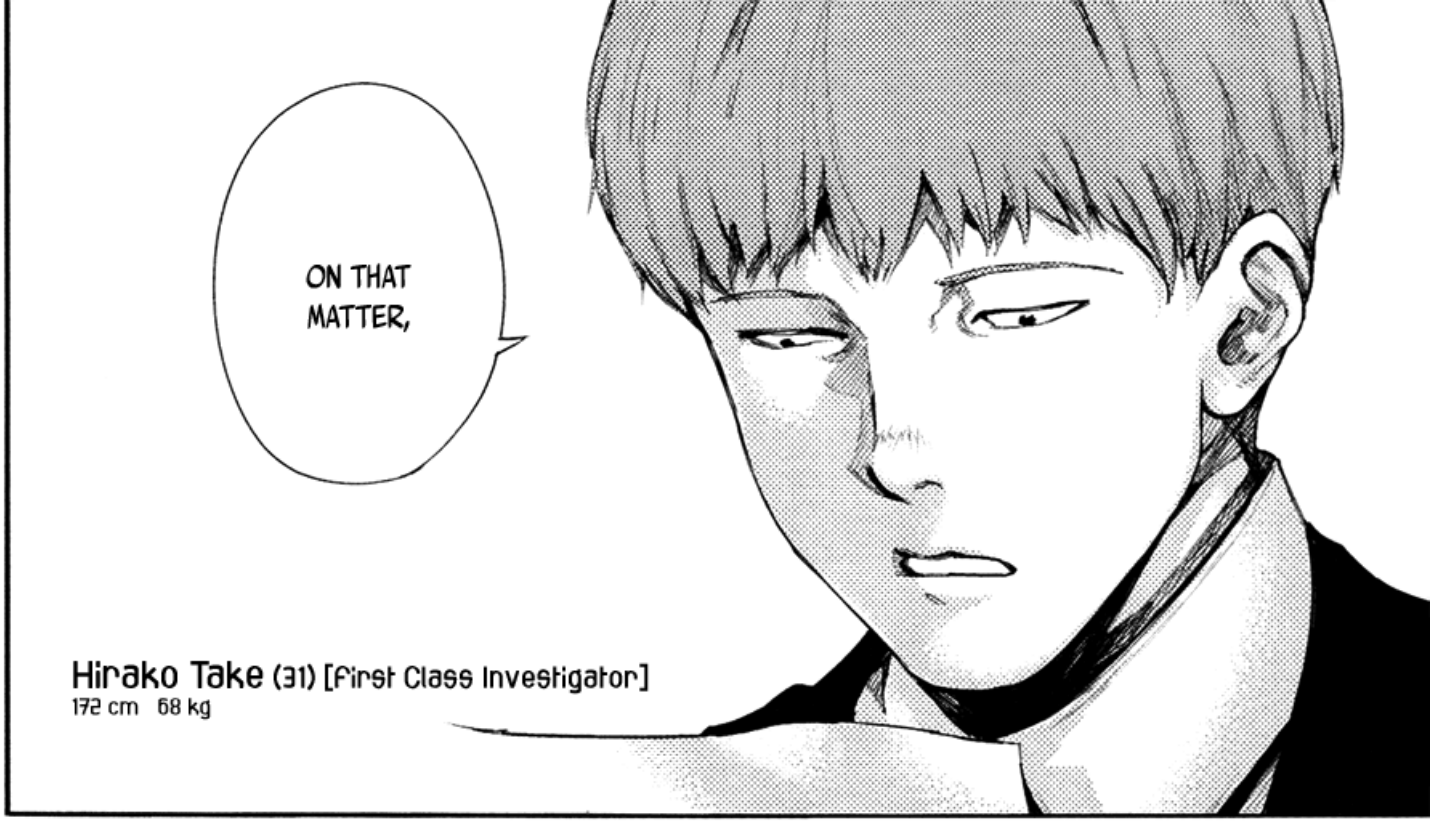
—IT SEEMS THE GHOUL THAT RANK 2 URIE AND THE OTHERS FROM THE MADO SQUAD CONFRONTED A FEW DAYS AGO
WAS NOT THE GHOUL CALLED TORSO.
... IT HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED THAT HE'S CURRENTLY AN "A RATE"
BUT THE TRUTH IS THAT HIS LEVEL IS UNKNOWN..
AT THE PRESENT TIME, IT'S PROBABLY A GOOD THING THAT THEY DIDN'T COME FACE TO FACE WITH HIM.
IN ANY CASE,
TORSO IS OUR RESPONSIBILITY, SO I'D LIKE THE MADO SQUAD TO DO A DIFFERENT INVESTIGATION.

Investigation Meeting
Shimoguchi Squad
Hirako Squad
Mado Squad
WHICH REMINDS ME...

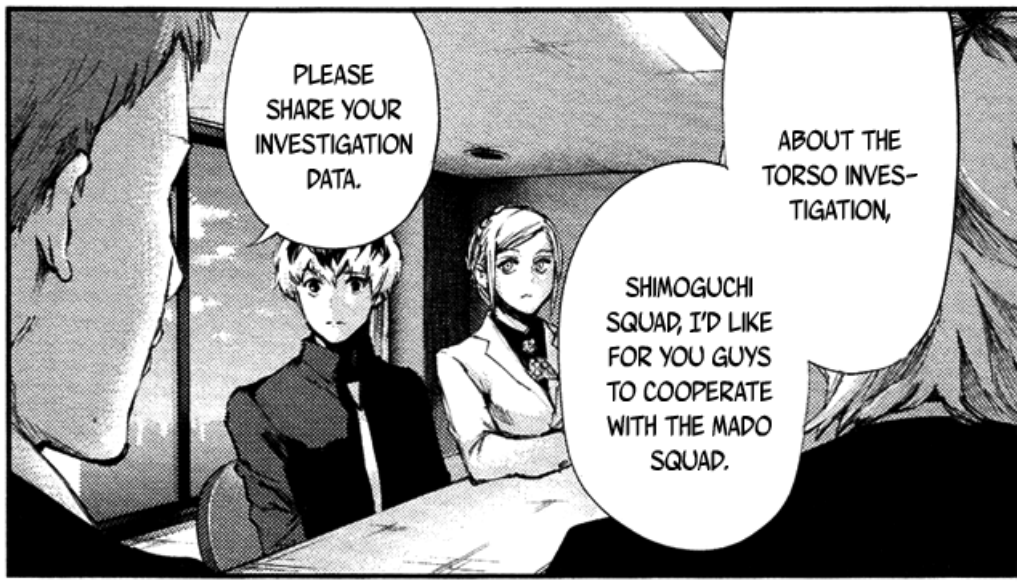
WAHA-HAHA-HAH.
A STRAY DOG.
IS THE QUINX'S JOB "DOG CATCH-ING"!?
HAHA, HOW PLEAS-ANT.
HEH... A DOG, HUH?
IT SEEMS A FEW DAYS AGO THE QUINX? OR WHATEVER INVESTIGATED A TIP ABOUT A GHOUL FREQUENTLY APPEARING, ISN'T THAT RIGHT?
AND THE RESULT OF INVESTIGATING THE AREA WHERE THE GROWLING WAS HEARD WAS...
.....
PFFT.
AH, AHAHAH...
OH MAN... THAT SURE WAS A DISAPPOINT-MENT...
...BUT, IT'S GOOD THAT IT WASN'T A GHOUL.
...
DON'T BE FOOLISH.
IT APPEARS THAT RANK 1 SASAKI POSSESSES SOME NAÏVE THOUGHTS.

"THE SAFETY OF THE CITIZENS IS THE TOP PRIORITY",
IS ALSO IN THE "GHOUL COUNTER-MEASURES LAW ARTICLE 13", ISN'T IT? GHOULS MUST BE DEALT WITH PROMPTLY.
WHY WASN'T A GHOUL OF THAT LEVEL DISPOSED OF AT THE SCENE?
HE HAS NO IMPORTANT INFORMATION, AND AT BEST HE'S RATED AS A B+.
HOWEVER, IN CLAUSE 2...
IT SAYS, "IT IS FORBIDDEN TO DEAL MORE PAIN THAN NECESSARY WHEN FACING A GHOUL"...
ISN'T YOUR INTER-PRETATION A LITTLE OFF?
NOWHERE IN CLAUSE 2 DOES IT SAY "ONE MUST NOT KILL A GHOUL".
JUST "THE MINIMUM AMOUNT OF PAIN"...
THAT IS,
IT IS REQUESTED THAT GHOUL INVESTIGATORS "KILL IMMEDIATELY".
DID YOU FEEL SOME "SYMPATHY" FOR HIM?
...ISN'T THAT POSSIBLE FOR YOU?
RANK 1 SASAKI,
AS EXPECTED, FOR THE GHOULS, YOU HAVE—
FIRST CLASS SHIMOGUCHI,

YOUR EDUCATION OR WHATEVER HAS BEEN INSUFFICIENT, HASN'T IT?
...FIRST CLASS MADO,
...EDUCATING MY SUBORDINATE IS MY JOB.
I'LL HAVE HIM LISTEN AFTERWARDS.
A FEW DAYS AGO, HE TOLD US "HAND OVER YOUR INVESTIGATION DATA".
OH MY... I WAS QUITE SURPRISED BY THAT MISAPPROPRIATION OF AN INVESTIGATION.
WHAT'D YOU SAY!?
MY SASAKI JUST COULDN'T STAND BY AND WATCH YOUR "INVESTIGATION WHICH IS PROGRESSING AT A TURTLE'S PACE"
AND SO HE WAS OFFERING SOME FRIENDLY ASSISTANCE?
WOULD BE ABLE TO PIN DOWN THE "PERSONAL APPEARANCE OF TORSO" IN A MONTH, I'D IMAGINE.
EVEN SASAKI AND THE QS
FIRST CLASS MADO, FIRST CLASS SHIMOGUCHI.
...IF YOU PUT IT THAT WAY THEN-
OH WELL.
UNFORTUNATELY, WE HAVE TO DEAL WITH "AOGIRI TREE" SO WE DON'T HAVE THE TIME FOR THAT.
IF IT WERE SASAKI AND I, WE'D HAVE BEEN
ABOUT TO SOLVE THAT MATTER IN 10 DAYS...
"TEN DAYS"?

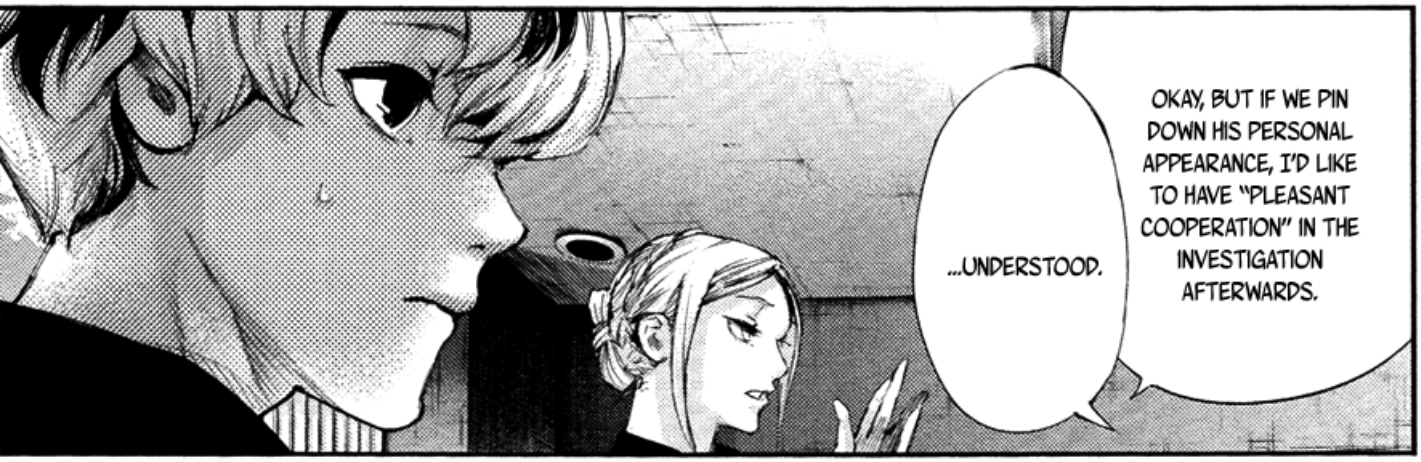

ON THAT MATTER,
Hirako Take (31) [First Class Investigator]
172 cm 68 kg

...I'LL ACCEPT THAT.


PLEASE SHARE YOUR INVESTIGATION DATA.
ABOUT THE TORSO INVESTIGATION,
SHIMOGUCHI SQUAD, I'D LIKE FOR YOU GUYS TO COOPERATE WITH THE MADO SQUAD.

WE ARE GOING TO END TODAY'S MEETING HERE.
TO PURSUE THE, AT LEAST, S~ RATE (※) "SERPENT".
WE, THE HIRAKO SQUAD, WILL CONTINUE
※ [~ " at least"] There's a possibility that the rating will be raised beyond the current estimate.

YOU SAID, YOU COULD "GET TORSO'S PERSONAL APPEARANCE IN A MONTH"... DIDN'T YOU?
I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO IT.
...FIRST CLASS MADO,


OKAY, BUT IF WE PIN DOWN HIS PERSONAL APPEARANCE, I'D LIKE TO HAVE "PLEASANT COOPERATION" IN THE INVESTIGATION AFTERWARDS.
...UNDERSTOOD.

...I AM SORRY, AKIRA-SAN.
YOU STUCK UP FOR M—
SASAKI.

...

I DON'T DISLIKE YOUR GENTLE STATE OF MIND

BUT THROW AWAY THAT NAIVETY DURING BATTLE.

...EVEN I WAS EMBARRASSED WHEN YOU QUOTED "CLAUSE 2" BACK THERE.

YOU'RE SOMEONE WHO'S MORE LIABLE TO BEING SEEN WITH BIAS THAN THE QUINX ARE.

DON'T PROTECT THE GHOULS.

UNLESS YOU WANT TO EAT ANOTHER MADO-PUNCH.

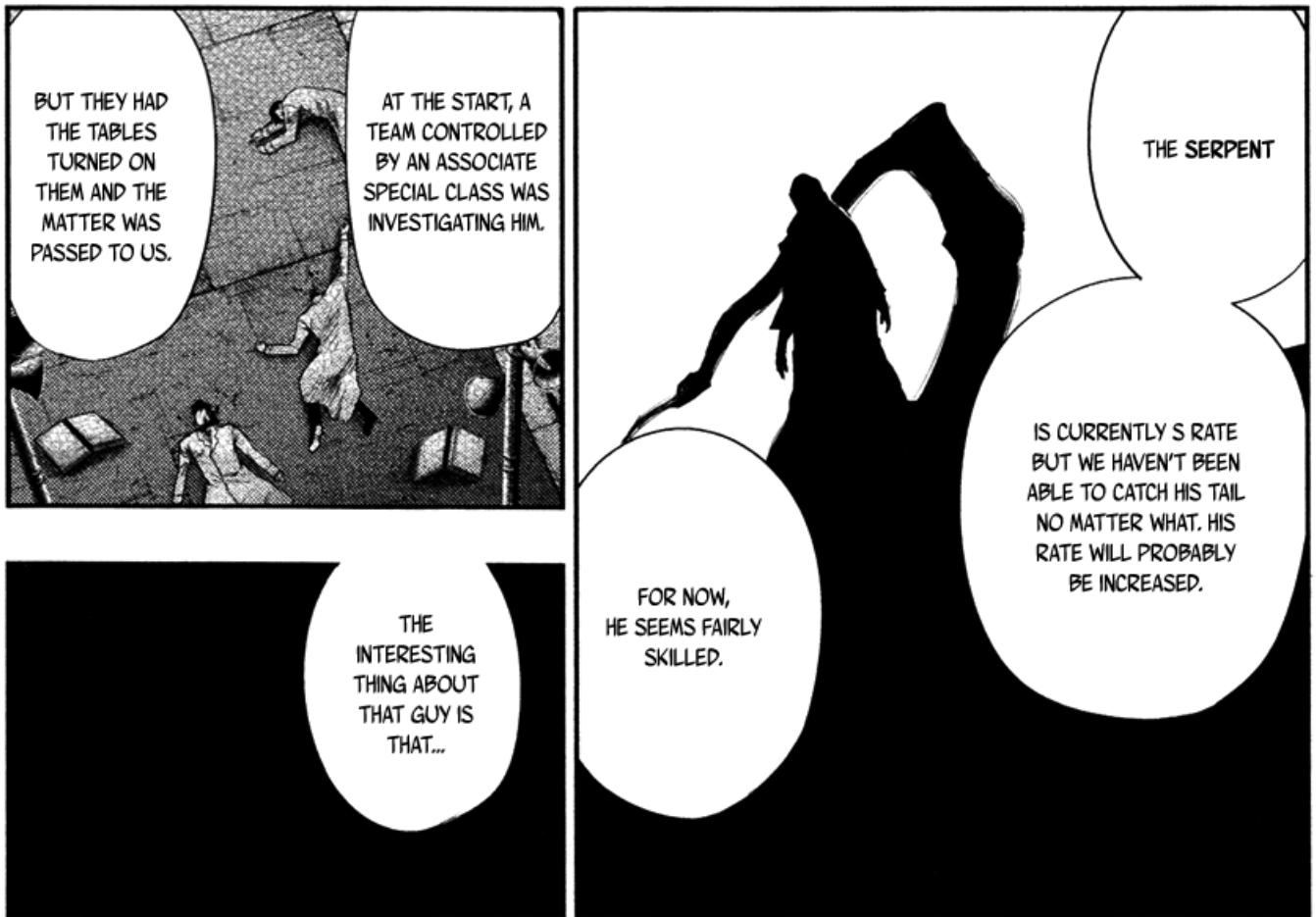
THAT "KINDNESS" WILL KILL YOU.

Mado-punch...?

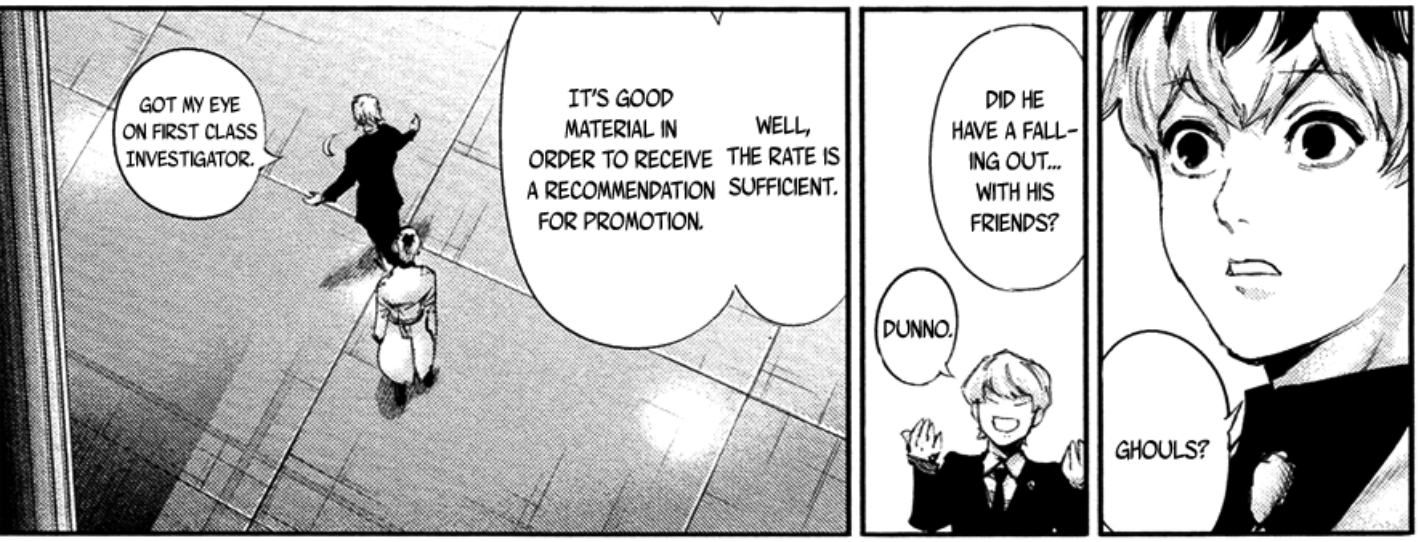
...

....working on the case that the Shimoguchi squad has worked on for 3 months without getting any leads even though my control of the Qs is insufficient...
SA
SA
KI-
KUN!
THAT WAS SOME TOUGH STUFF BACK THERE, WASN'T IT?
OH, RANK 1 ITOU.
YES, I'M ITOU. OR RATHER,
Itou Kuramoto (25) [Rank 1 Investigator]
171 cm 60 kg
SO, GET THE "PERSONAL APPEARANCE OF TORSO" WITHIN ONE MONTH.
SHIMOGUCHI'S LIPS WILL TREMBLE IN DISGRACE.
WE HAVE RECEIVED FIRST CLASS HIRAKO'S PERMISSION TOO.
T/N: In Japanese, his name and rank together would be pronounced "Itou ittou".
IS "HAISE" OKAY?
Saying "Rank 1 Itou" is a tongue-twister.
"KURA-MOTO" IS FINE!
YES, KURA-MOTO-SAN.
DON'T THEY THOUGH?
EITHER WAY, YOUR NAMES BOTH SOUND LIKE SURNAMES, DON'T THEY?

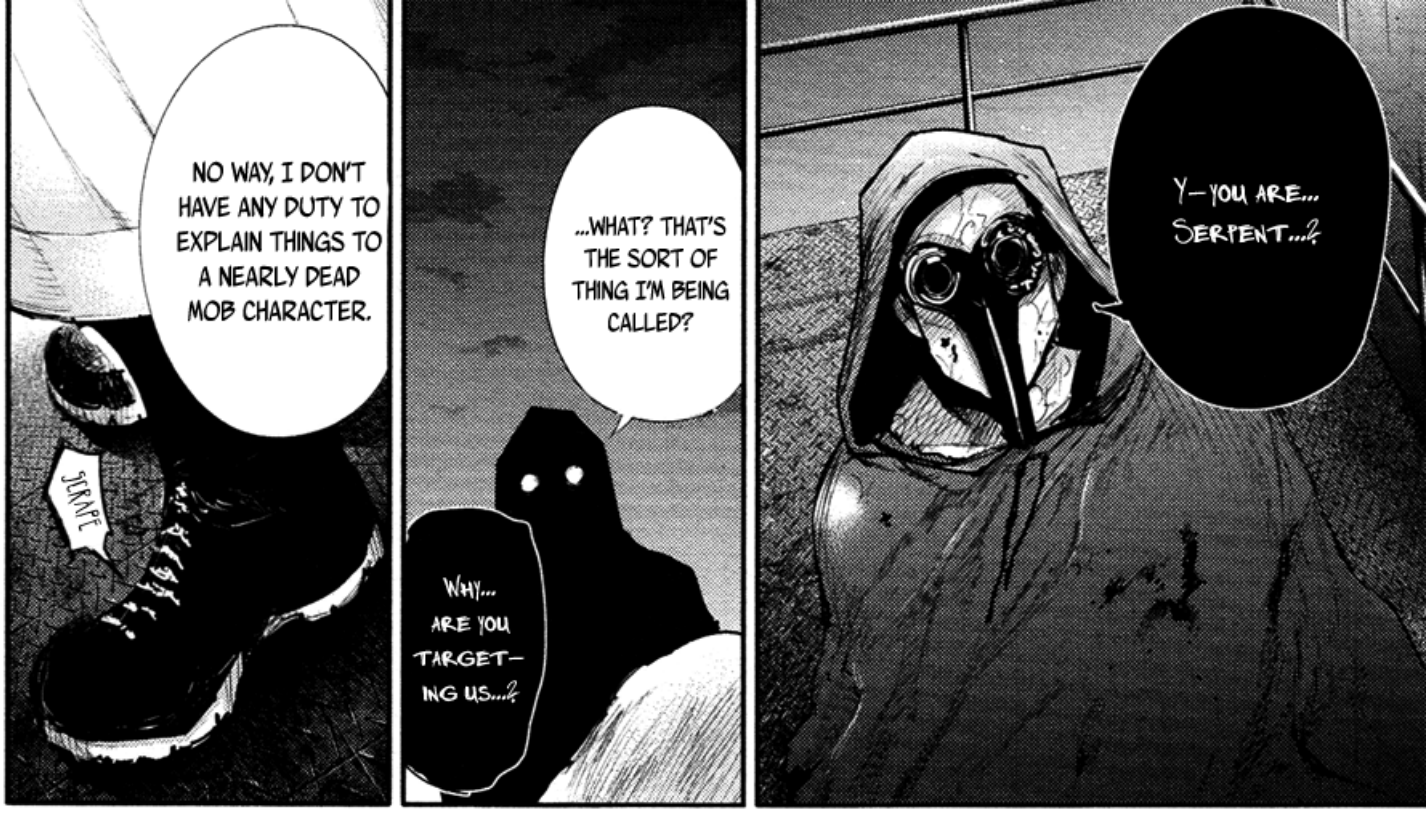
BUT, AKIRA-CHAN ALSO SAID SOME ABSURD THINGS.
ABOUT GETTING THE PERSONAL APPEARANCE OF TORSO IN A MONTH.
AKIRA-SAN ALWAYS GIVES OFF THAT TYPE OF FEELING,
SO THOSE SORTS OF UNREASONABLE DEMANDS ARE PROBABLY A CONVENTION FROM ARIMA-SAN...
HIRAKO-SAN'S TEAM IS INVESTIGATING THE SERPENT, ISN'T THAT RIGHT?
WHAT KIND OF GHOUL.... ER, OR IS IT BETTER FOR ME NOT TO ASK?
HM? IT'S ALRIGHT, ISN'T IT?
OR SHOULD I SAY, WE SHOULD NATURALLY SHARE INFORMATION MORE OFTEN.
SHIMOGUCHI-SAN IS JUST LIKE THAT.

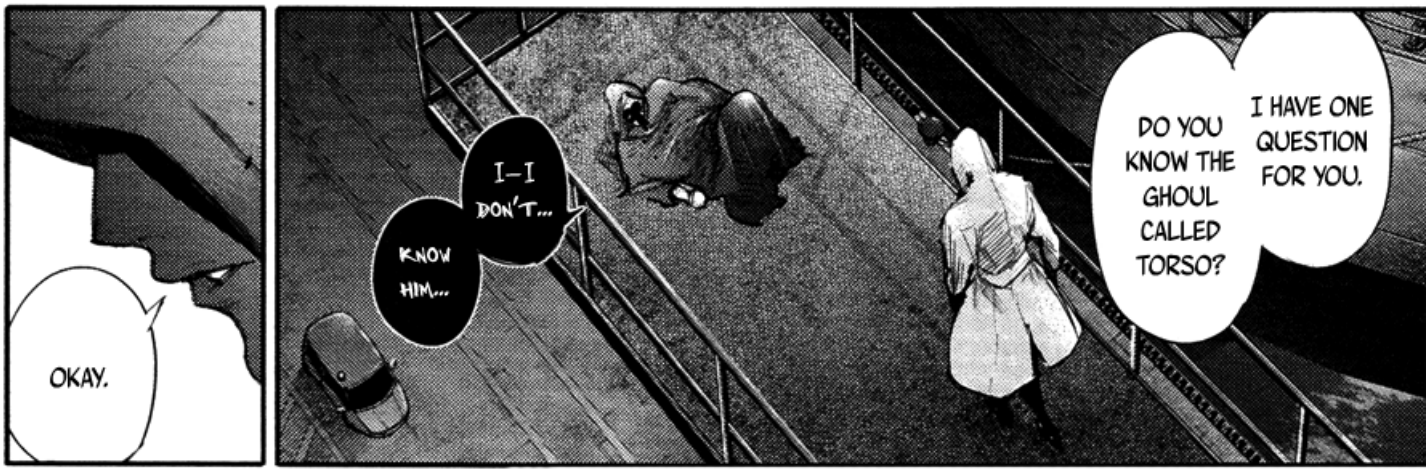

THE SERPENT
IS CURRENTLY S RATE BUT WE HAVEN'T BEEN ABLE TO CATCH HIS TAIL NO MATTER WHAT. HIS RATE WILL PROBABLY BE INCREASED.
FOR NOW, HE SEEMS FAIRLY SKILLED.
AT THE START, A TEAM CONTROLLED BY AN ASSOCIATE SPECIAL CLASS WAS INVESTIGATING HIM.
BUT THEY HAD THE TABLES TURNED ON THEM AND THE MATTER WAS PASSED TO US.
THE INTERESTING THING ABOUT THAT GUY IS THAT...

HE SEEMS TO BE "HUNTING GHOULS".


GOT MY EYE ON FIRST CLASS INVESTIGATOR.
IT'S GOOD MATERIAL IN ORDER TO RECEIVE A RECOMMENDATION FOR PROMOTION.
WELL, THE RATE IS SUFFICIENT.
DID HE HAVE A FALL-ING OUT... WITH HIS FRIENDS?
DUNNO.
GHOULS?

TORSO AND SERPENT, HUH...?
GUAAH!!
Kuramossan...
OH, HOGI-CHAN, WEARING A SUIT TODAY?
WELL THEN, SEE YA LATER, HAISE.
YEP.
SHUT UP, KURA-MOTO.
HACHIKAWA-SAN, THAT DOESN'T SUIT YOU AT ALL.
I WON'T LOSE TO AKIRA-CHAN OR YOU.


NO WAY, I DON'T HAVE ANY DUTY TO EXPLAIN THINGS TO A NEARLY DEAD MOB CHARACTER.
SCRAPE
...WHAT? THAT'S THE SORT OF THING I'M BEING CALLED?
WHY... ARE YOU TARGET-ING US...?
Y-YOU ARE... SERPENT...?


OKAY.
I-I DON'T... KNOW HIM...
DO YOU KNOW THE GHOUL CALLED TORSO?
I HAVE ONE QUESTION FOR YOU.

WELL THEN,
TIME TO SAY "GOODBYE".
SWING

I'M BACK~
WEL-COME BACK.
HUH, MUTSUKI-KUN, YOU'RE ALONE?

....WHERE ARE URIE-KUN AND SHIRAZU-KUN?
THEY STILL HAVEN'T RETURNED.
SINCE THE GHOUL FROM A FEW DAYS AGO WASN'T TORSO...
THEY HAVE GONE OFF FURIOUS...

Even though their quinques are out for repairs...
ARE THEY PLANNING TO USE THEIR KAGUNE AGAIN...?
AND WHAT ABOUT SAIKO-CHAN?

MUTSUKI-KUN, HAVE YOU EATEN? SHALL I MAKE SOME-THING?
EH?
BUT, SENSEI, YOU JUST GOT OFF WORK, YOU MUST BE TIRED...

UNTIL A WHILE AGO, SHE WAS HERE PLAY-ING AN APP.
SOME-THING LIKE...
A "GAME TO RAISE THE LION DANCE".
IS THAT FUN?
経験値アップ!
舞ゲー
001 9837

IT'S FINE. I WANT TO MAKE IT.
AH...
...THEN I'LL HELP YOU OUT!

Doing things for others, while also doing things for myself, is difficult...

MUTSUKI-KUN, YOU NEED TO BUILD UP MORE MUSCLE.

SO, IT'S MEAT. MEAT.

AH, I CAN'T HANDLE THE TYPE OVER-FLOWING WITH BLOOD...

SUPERIOR OFFICER'S ORDER, DON'T BE SO PICKY.

.....

'KAY.

SAIKO-CHAN, DINNER.

STARE

I'LL EAT NOW.

YEAH, GO AHEAD.

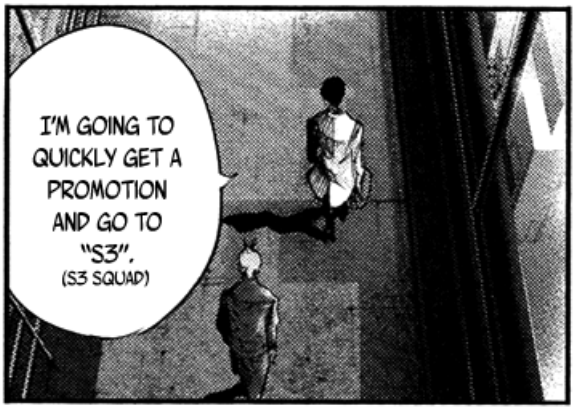
AH... UMM.

AH, SORRY, SORRY.

...OH.
...
IT IS DELICIOUS...

I'M GLAD.

SQUAD LEADER~



T/N: Urie calls the S3 squad "S-san" in Japanese. "san" means 3. Ginshi believes he's using an honorific instead, so he thinks it's a person.

DON'T STAND IN MY WAY.
HAH?
YOU'VE GOT NO RIGHT TO ORDER ME AROUND, DO YOU?
YOU WANNA HAVE A GO RIGHT HERE?
(I DO HAVE THE "RIGHT" THOUGH. I'M THE SQUAD LEADER, AREN'T I, YOU INCOMPETENT BASTARD?)...
I DON'T MIND.
"THE RANK 3"
THUD
"LET HIS KAGUNE RAMPAGE ABOUT, SO I HAD TO RELUCTANTLY EXTERMINATE HIM."
PLIK
I'M GOING TO ROAST YOUR "KAKUHOU" AND EAT IT,
URI-BOU.
SNAP.
PLIK PLIK

?

YOU'RE INVESTIGATOR URIE, AREN'T YOU?

I'M "HORI CHIE"!

YOU GUYS ARE PURSUING THE GHOUL CALLED TORSO, AREN'T YOU?

DO YOU NEED SOME INFORMATION?

WHERE'D YOU HEAR MY NAME FROM?

ANSWER ME, ELEMENTARY SCHOOLER.

I'M 24!

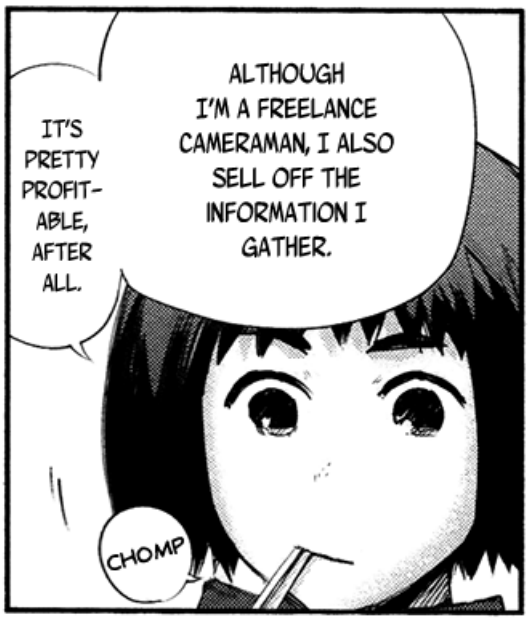
YOU'RE PRETTY BALLSY TO LIE TO AN INVESTIGATOR, AREN'T YOU, ELEMENTARY SCHOOLER?

It's dangerous here.

WHAT'S UP, KIDDO?

*T/N: Hidden Meaning = Rebel.

A DRIVER'S LICENSE...

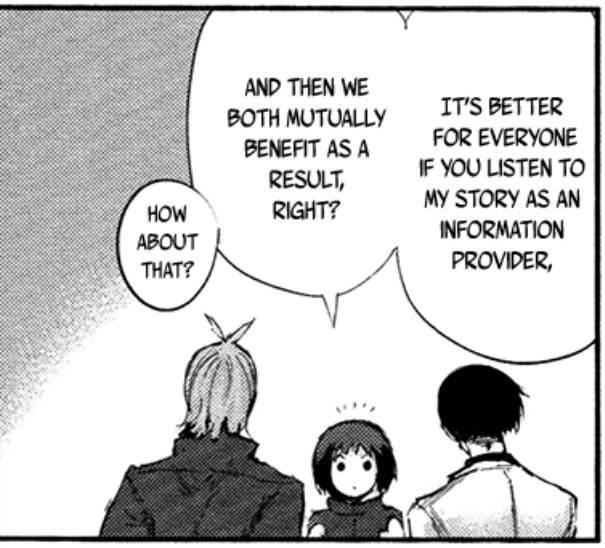

ALTHOUGH I'M A FREELANCE CAMERAMAN, I ALSO SELL OFF THE INFORMATION I GATHER.
IT'S PRETTY PROFIT-ABLE, AFTER ALL.
CHOMP

...SHE'S TRULY 24 YEARS OLD.
DIFFERENT FROM THE 24 I KNOW.
THAT'S WHY I TOLD YOU SO.

("HORI CHIE" IS LONG THOUGH...) IT SEEMS YOU DON'T UNDER-STAND YOUR "POSITION".

I'M NOT IN A "POSITION" TO TALK ABOUT THAT.
Ah, and "Hori Chie" is okay.
AND... "HORI"-SAN,
HOW DO YOU KNOW TORSO'S AND OUR NAMES?

INVESTIGATION INFORMATION IS A CONFIDENTIAL MATTER OF THE CCG.
IT IF WERE TO BE LEAKED, IT'D BE A BIG PROBLEM.
IN ORDER TO DISCERN THE MEANS IN WHICH THE LEAKAGE OCCURRED,
IT'S POSSIBLE YOU'LL BE CONFRONTED AND A COMPULSORY INTERROGATION IMPOSED UPON YOU.
HMM.
WELL, IF YOU WANT TO DO THAT, THEN THAT'S FINE.


IT'S BETTER FOR EVERYONE IF YOU LISTEN TO MY STORY AS AN INFORMATION PROVIDER,
AND THEN WE BOTH MUTUALLY BENEFIT AS A RESULT, RIGHT?
HOW ABOUT THAT?

BUT IF YOU INTEND TO GET INFORMATION OUT OF ME FORCEFULLY, THEN I'LL ONLY SAY THE MINIMUM AMOUNT OF THINGS.

I WON'T TELL YOU ANY USEFUL INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR INVESTIGATION.
I'LL ONLY EXPLAIN THE WAY THE INFORMATION WAS LEAKED AND THEN GO HOME.
IS THAT OKAY?

OI, SQUAD LEADER,
IT'S BETTER IF WE LISTEN TO HER STORY NORMALLY, AIN'T IT?
.....
(SHREWD LITTLE BR... WOMAN...)
....
UNDERSTOOD.

LET'S TALK ABOUT THE "COMPENSATION".
IT'S NOT FREE.
BEFORE THAT,
...AND,
AS FOR THE INFORMATION ABOUT TORSO...
...HOW MUCH DO YOU WANT?
1 MILLION YEN.
!?
...OR
SOME OF "SASAKI HAISE'S"
!?
"PERSONAL EFFECTS"

T/N: glorreich means "gloriously" in German.

SHE'LL TELL US THE REMAINING INFORMATION AFTER WE HAND OVER THE "COMPENSATION", HUH...?
THAT CAMERAMAN CALLED HORI,
HER APPEARANCE IS BULLSHIT BUT HER INFORMATION IS TRUE.
WE AIN'T GONNA TELL SASSAN?
Let's get his underwear.

AND THE ACHIEVEMENTS WE'VE GONE OUT OF OUR WAY TO GET,
DEPENDING ON THE REPORTS RANK 1 SASAKI SUBMITS TO THE HIGHER UPS, WILL ALSO BECOME THE QS SQUAD'S... IN OTHER WORDS—

...AS LONG AS RANK 1 SASAKI IS OUR MENTOR...
WE WILL BE TREATED AS THE "QUINX SQUAD" UNDER SASAKI'S CONTROL.

THE "QS" PROJECT WILL BECOME A HUGE CORNERSTONE FOR RANK 1 SASAKI'S PROMOTION...

...AND WHERE THAT'S CONCERNED, ONE'S "SELF" IS MORE IMPORTANT THAN THE "SQUAD".

"THEY WILL BECOME RANK 1 SASAKI'S ACHIEVEMENTS" (IS A POSSIBILITY.)

GET IT?

HAA AH!?

WHAT!? THAT'S UNFAIR!

YEAH, IT'S "UNFAIR".

FUCK... THAT BED-HEADED MOTHER-FUCKER...

JUST WHAT'S HE THINKING ABOUT US...

Fuck..

OUR ADVANCEMENT DOESN'T MATTER TO HIM.

WELL NO SHIT!

YOU NEED MONEY, DON'T YOU?

YOU HAVE TO HURRY UP AND GET PROMOTED, RIGHT?

RANK 3 SHIRAZU,

I GOT THE QUINX SURGERY BECAUSE OF THE TEST SUBJECT COMPENSATION TOO.

I WANT MONEY. MORE OF IT... AND FAST.

...WELL, IF SO

THEN DON'T WORK AS A PART OF THE SQUAD,

GET YOUR OWN ACHIEVEMENTS PERSONALLY.

THAT WAY YOU CAN GET CLOSER TO YOUR OBJEC-TIVE.

...THINGS MAY BE AS THEY ARE, BUT I'M ONLY TRYING TO SPEAK HONESTLY.

.....

...I'M GLAD (THAT YOU ARE SUCH AN EASY-TO-HANDLE IDIOT).

GOT IT. I'LL DO THAT...

I'LL BE DAMNED IF I LET SASAKI INTERFERE...

...with this, unnecessary interruptions won't get in the way.

YOU'RE... A PRETTY GOOD GUY. Cookie.

...THAT'S NOT THE CASE. (HONESTLY)

THE "PERSONAL APPEARANCE OF TORSO WITHIN A MONTH"?
YEP.
WE HAVE MERELY A MONTH FOR THE CASE WHICH THE SHIMOGUCHI SQUAD IS AT A COMPLETE LOSS WITH...
FRANKLY, THE CONDITIONS WILL BE FAIRLY SEVERE...
BUT IF WE COMBINE ALL OUR POWER, THEN I DON'T THINK IT'S IMPOSSIBLE.
But, the current us should encounter a "wall to overcome together".
It's certainly a difficult mission...
IF WE, THE QS SQUAD, ALL UNITED...
This is where I teach them the importance of everyone cooperatin—
KEH.

YOU'RE PRETTY SHAMELESS, SASSAN.
...SHIRAZU-KUN?

"GET TORSO WITHIN A MONTH"

SHIRAZU REALLY IS SO SIMPLE.
UNDER-STOOD.
!

H-HOLD ON...!
...I'LL DO IT HOWEVER I LIKE.

AHH, JEEZ...

URIE-KUN!
(I'LL DO JUST THAT)

I NEED TO SHOW THOSE KIDS...
SENSEI...
...SO YOU WANT TO DO "INDEPENDENT INVESTIGATIONS" TO THE VERY END, HUH...?
...I UNDERSTAND.
THE "SERIOUSNESS OF SASAKI"...

TAKE A LOOK, BABY CHICKS ...!!
WATCH THE SERIOUSNESS OF SASAKI... THE "SERSAKI"...
AND WHILE WE'RE AT IT, FIRST CLASS SHIMAGUCHI TOO ...!!
TODAY IS GONNA BE AN ALL-NIGHT DOCUMENT FEAST!
SENSEI HAS SNAPPED ...

MUTSUKI-KUN, YOU AND I WILL PIN DOWN TORSO...
FASTER THAN URIE-KUN AND SHIRAZU-KUN!
SAIKO-CHAN CAN STAY AT HOME FOR NOW!
O... OKAY! I'LL do my best!

BEFORE WE CAN BE "UNITED",
I SUPPOSE I'LL MAKE THEM UNDERSTAND THE LIMITS OF THE "INDIVIDUAL".

Commission of Counter Ghoul SS

SS Floor

AS FOR ME, I'M REALLY PINNING MY HOPE ON YOU GUYS OF THE "QS SQUAD".

COCHLEA RECEIVED A SERIOUS BLOW.

—THE FORMER WARDEN, MISAKA, LOST HIS LIFE AT THE HANDS OF AOGIRI TREE.

HIS FACE LOOKS LIKE SOMEONE PUNCHED IT AS USUAL...

THE WARDEN'S FACE IS ...SCARY...

23rd Ward Ghoul Detention Center
"Cochlea"

.....

RANK 1 SASAKI,

I GOT YOUR MESSAGE FROM FIRST CLASS MADO...

Cochlea Warden
Haisaki Shinme

...BUT, TO CONCEIVE OF HUMAN INVESTIGATORS WITH "BUILT-IN QUINQUES",

THE DIRECTOR IS A VERY BOLD THINKING PERSON.

I like him.

—MY OH MY...

THE WALLS HAVE A COATING OF COATINQUE STEEL

AND THE GHOULS HOUSED HERE ARE ALSO BEING WEAKENED BY RC-SUPPRESSANT DRUGS.

I WONDER WHAT HAPPENED TO HIS "SERSAKI"...

O-OKAY.

Coat-inque ...?

HE SEEMS TIRED...

IT'S OKAY. Mucchan.

MUC-CHAN?

.....

LOOK WHO'S HERE... HAISE, HUH?
I HAD JUST GOTTEN BORED.
SS rate ghoul
Donato Porpora
A Russian ghoul. A dangerous ghoul who killed investigators and was the cause of a great many predation cases. In Japan, he ran a Catholic orphanage and preyed on the young children in his custody. His alias is "Priest".

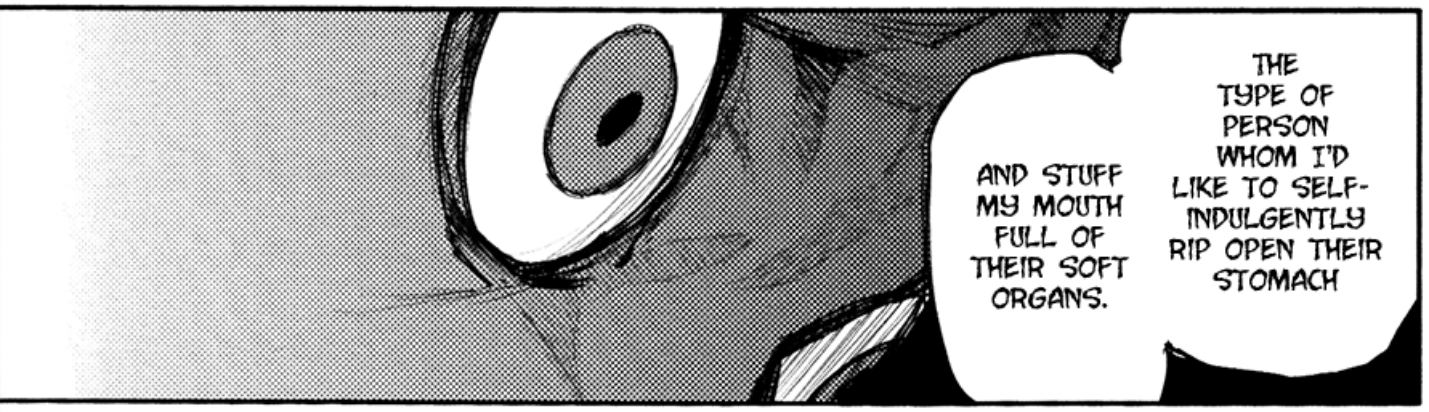
HOW DO YOU FEEL ABOUT BEING DOMINATED BY A WOMAN, RANK 1?
Ha ha ...
IT'S PLEASANT IF IT'S BY AN EXCELLENT PERSON.
HOW ABOUT YOU, PORPORA-SAN?

WHAT ABOUT YOUR SUPERIOR OFFICER, MADO AKIRA?
SHE'S ON A DIFFERENT INVESTIGATION.

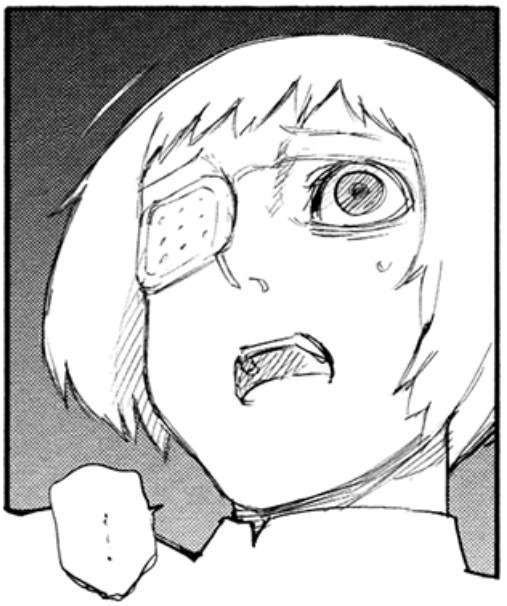
TODAY YOU'RE WITH A NEWCOMER.
HE'S YOUNG. AND BESIDES THAT,

KUKU...
AS ALWAYS, YOU'RE MAKING SILLY FRIVOLOUS TALK...
...OH.

THUD
HE LOOKS PRETTY DELICIOUS, TOO.
.....
TCH.


THE TYPE OF PERSON WHOM I'D LIKE TO SELF-INDULGENTLY RIP OPEN THEIR STOMACH
AND STUFF MY MOUTH FULL OF THEIR SOFT ORGANS.

THUD
...PLEASE DON'T BULLY MY KID SO MUCH.
OH, HOW RUDE OF ME.



AND...

I'M SORRY... UGH... I...
SIT DOWN.

HERE'S THE DATA NOW.

POP POP POP

IT'S OVER A GHOUL CALLED TORSO.

WHAT'S THE INVESTIGATION?

HIS PREDATION SITES ENCOMPASS A FAIRLY EXTENSIVE RANGE.

IT'S THOUGHT THAT HE'S USING VEHICLES FOR HIS METHOD OF LOCOMOTION.

THE VICTIMS HAVE ALL BEEN "FEMALE"...

IS AN EXTREMELY IMPORTANT PART.

FOR GHOULS, THE "HEAD"

EVERYONE HAS THEIR OWN PREFERENCE.

WHILE GAZING AT THE FACE, ONE CAN ENJOY THE OTHER PARTS... OR, PERHAPS START RESOLUTELY FROM THE HEAD?

AMPLIFIES THE EXALTATION OF THE MEAL.

UNDERSTANDING JUST WHAT IN THE WORLD ONE IS EATING

ONLY THE TORSOS WERE TAKEN FROM EACH OF THEM.

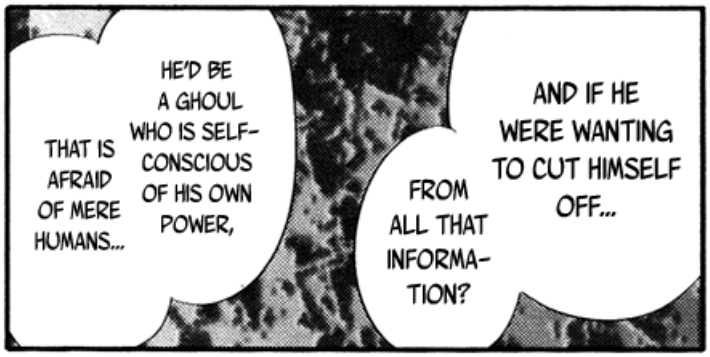
...I SEE. A "TORSO MANIAC", HUH?

THE HEAD IS SURELY THE "FACE OF THE MEAL".
FROM A HUMAN'S PERSPECTIVE, IT CAN BE THE GARNISH TO A SEEMINGLY BORING GHOUL MEAL.
IT'S THE SOLE "FLOWER".

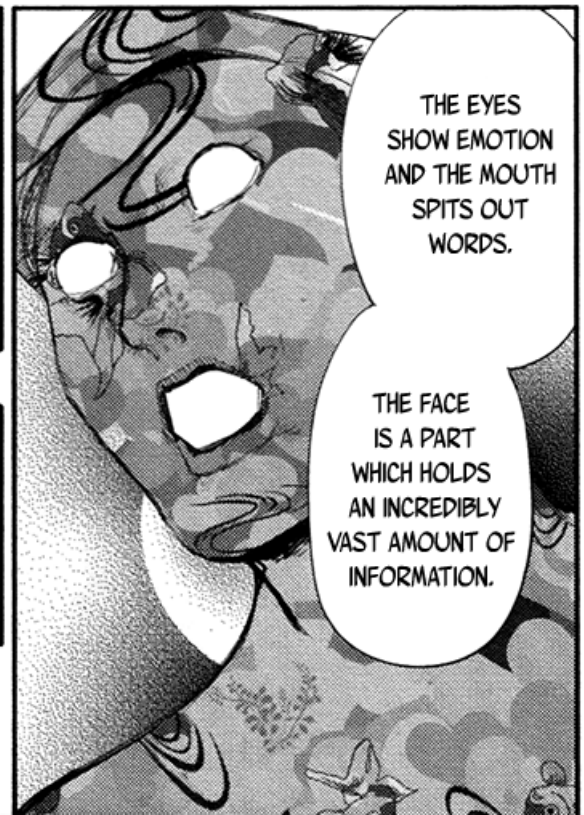
...I WONDER IF IT'S BECAUSE HE'S AFRAID?

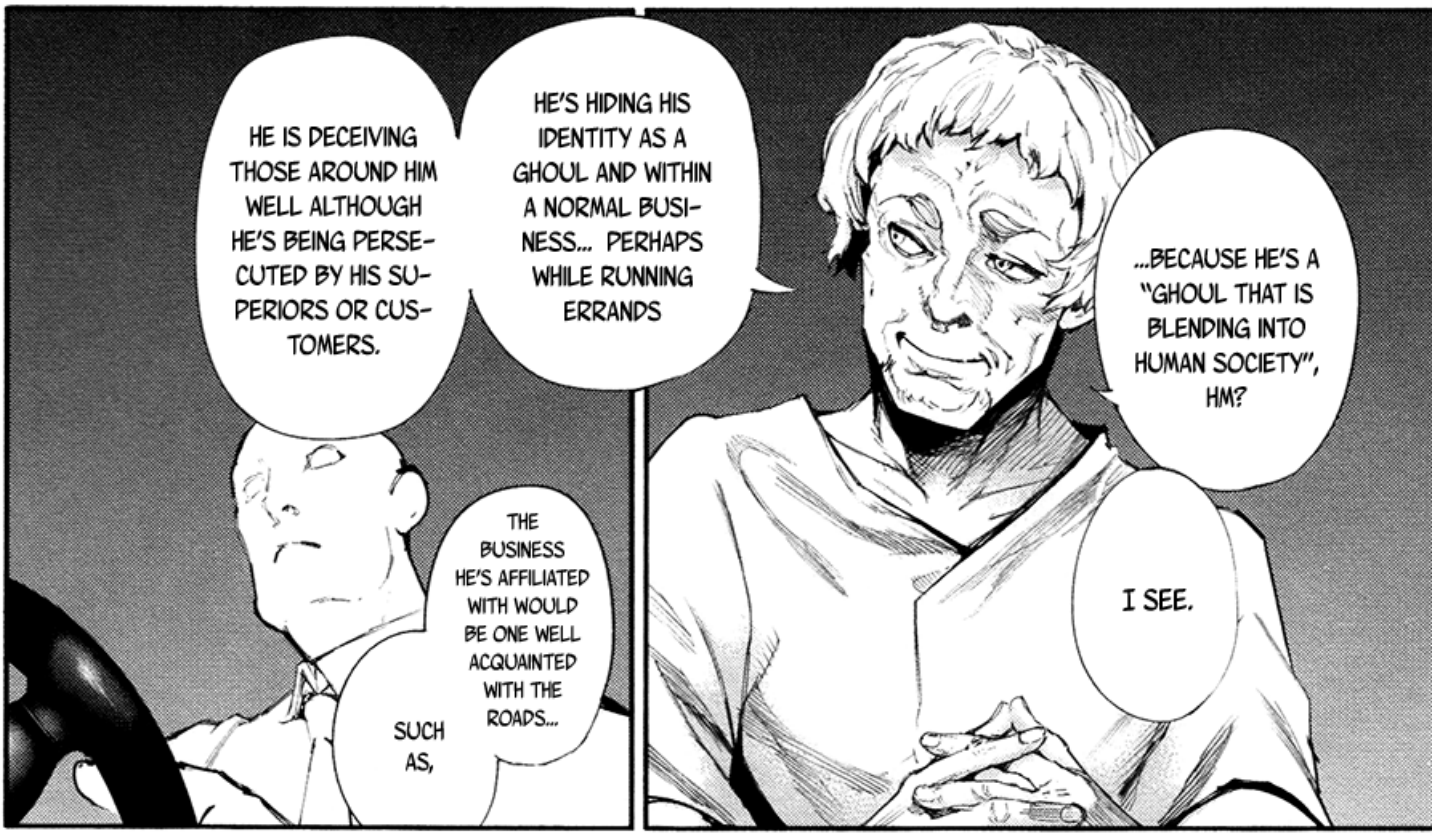
.....

WITHOUT SHOWING ANY INTEREST AT ALL...
ONE WHO WOULD PLUCK THAT "FLOWER" OFF AND IGNORE IT,
WOULD BE SOMEONE WITH A SURPRISINGLY UNBALANCED DIET, OR AN "EXTRAVAGANT PERSON".


THAT IS AFRAID OF MERE HUMANS...
HE'D BE A GHOUL WHO IS SELF-CONSCIOUS OF HIS OWN POWER,
FROM ALL THAT INFORMATION?
AND IF HE WERE WANTING TO CUT HIMSELF OFF...

THAT REASON IS...

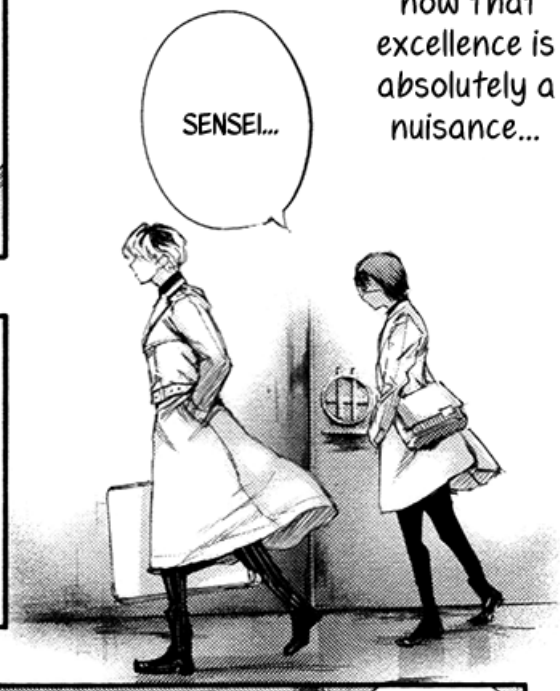

THE EYES SHOW EMOTION AND THE MOUTH SPITS OUT WORDS.
THE FACE IS A PART WHICH HOLDS AN INCREDIBLY VAST AMOUNT OF INFORMATION.

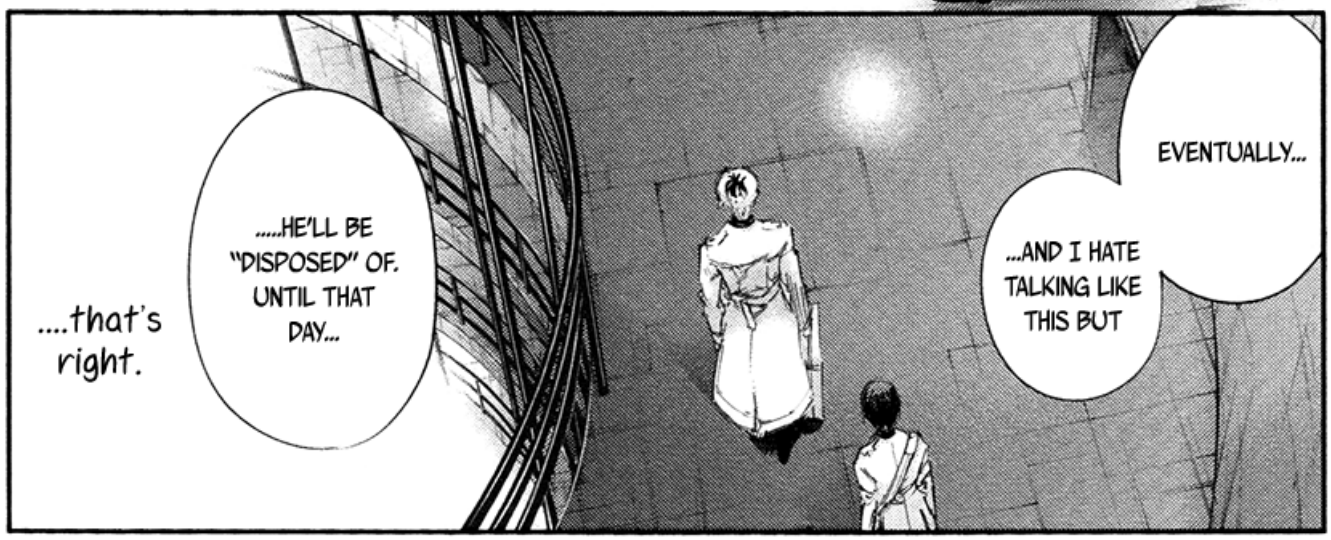

HE IS DECEIVING THOSE AROUND HIM WELL ALTHOUGH HE'S BEING PERSECUTED BY HIS SUPERIORS OR CUSTOMERS.
HE'S HIDING HIS IDENTITY AS A GHOUL AND WITHIN A NORMAL BUSINESS... PERHAPS WHILE RUNNING ERRANDS
THE BUSINESS HE'S AFFILIATED WITH WOULD BE ONE WELL ACQUAINTED WITH THE ROADS...
SUCH AS,
...BECAUSE HE'S A "GHOUL THAT IS BLENDING INTO HUMAN SOCIETY", HM?
I SEE.

...!
A "TAXI DRIVER".

What a sharp kid...
THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR OPINION, PORPORA-SAN.
Rank I Sasaki,
Urie-kun shoved me a ton of taxi receipts...
because he'd narrowed it down to a driver...?
I'd like to be provided the investigation expenses. It's 198,820 yen.

— right now that excellence is absolutely a nuisance...





Donato must continue to provide proof

that he is a beneficial existence...

—"YOU" HAVE TO AS WELL, DON'T YOU?

If you don't do that, you won't be able to hold onto yourself.
you'll wish they'd say you were fired.
Eventually,
if you become unusable or broken,
ISN'T THAT RIGHT?
You are merely grasping at the worth of your existence which scattered right before your eyes.
Even you are
...EH?
the same as Donato.
HAISE

.....TCH.
.....
...

...
...I wonder why Torso is fixated on torsos...
I wonder if I'm tired...
BUT, RIGHT NOW IT'S TIME TO DO MY BEST.
...WAS I ASLEEP...?
The same as "always" again, huh...?
"So as to not be separated"?
.....
There must be a more emotional nuance...
there should be no need to amputate even both legs.
...if he's leaving behind the heads.
Come to think of it, the victims' remains were missing "both legs" too...
The "owners of the torsos" probably have some feature in common...
SHOULD I TRY TO CHECK OUT THE VICTIMS' ACQUAINTANCES...?
Something that relates to Torso's "preferences"...—
THE "TORSO" IS A "LOVER" TO HIM...
It's completely like a lover who is abnormally possessive ...
It's an insecurity.
....!
I SEE...
If the legs are present, then it seems like the body can go somewhere...

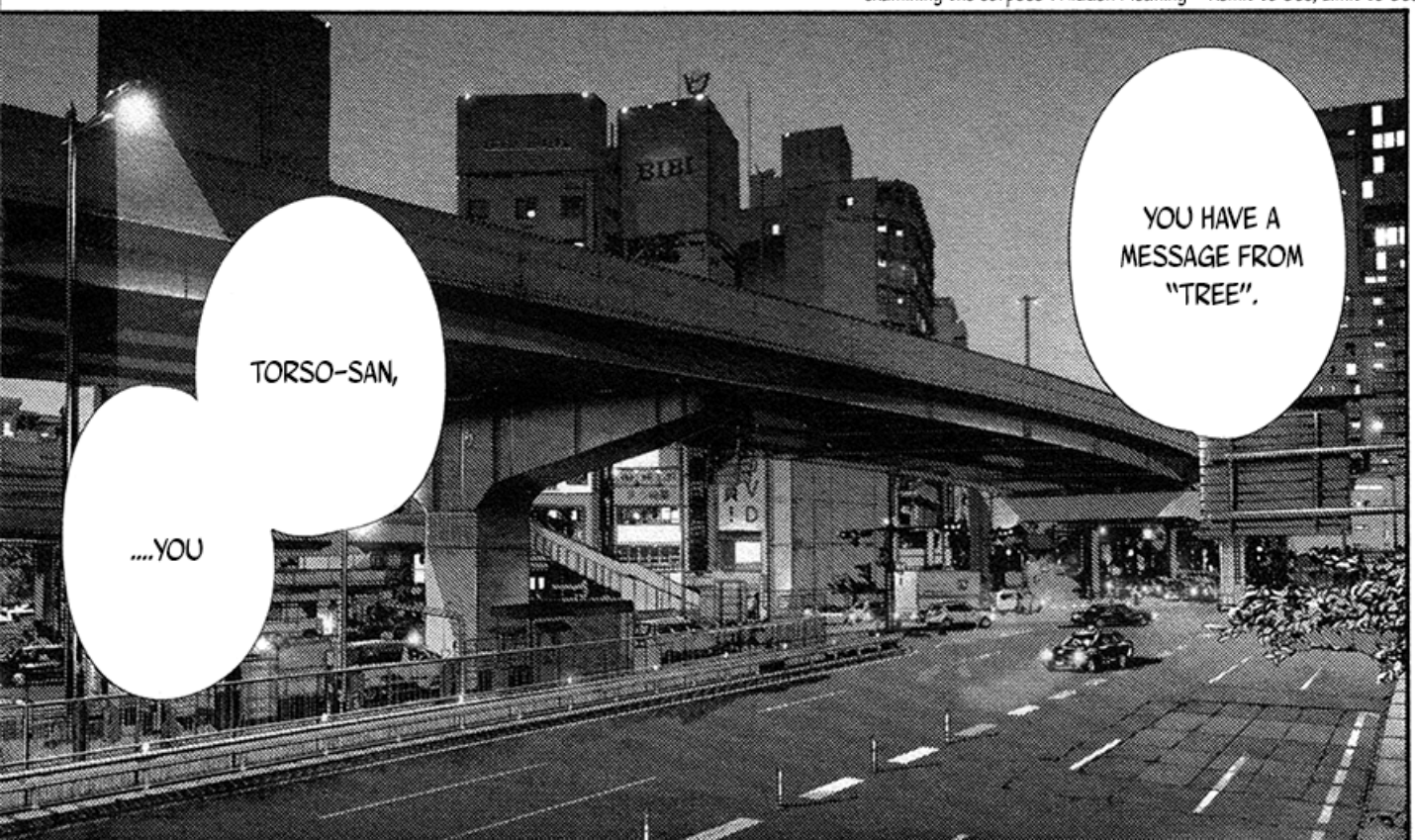
—WHERE ARE YOU HEADED?
...PLEASE DRIVE STRAIGHT.

Just you wait, Torso—
SCREECH

YOU HAVE A MESSAGE FROM "TREE",
TORSO-SAN.

SHEEP AND MASTER, EXAMI-NATION AND CORPSES : 4

T/N: If you read just the kanji it can also be "Not yet a master, examining the corpses". Hidden Meaning = Remit to See, Limit to See.



ARE EATING TOO MUCH.

IT SEEMS THE "DOVES" HAVE THEIR EYES ON YOU.

THE CCG...?

....I UNDERSTAND. I WILL BE CAREFUL.

THE "USUAL", PLEASE.

....OKAY.

...AND, ONE MORE THING FROM ME.

THERE IS A VERY STRONG SMELL COMING FROM THE INTERIOR OF THIS CAR.

...OR PERHAPS I SHOULD SAY, FROM YOU...

HAVE YOU EVER HEARD THE NAME "QUINX"?

NO...

...IN OTHER WORDS, THERE ARE RUMORS THAT THEY CAN USE THE ABILITIES OF A GHOUL.

BUT THEY ARE HUMANS WHO HAVE HAD THE ABILITIES OF THE "BOXES" INSERTED INTO THEIR BODIES...

I ALSO DO NOT KNOW ALL THE DETAILS...

THANK YOU FOR THE WARNING...

I WILL WARN YOU A SECOND TIME.

AND SINCE THERE IS A POSSIBILITY OF INFORMA-TION ABOUT "TREE" BEING DIVULGED BY YOU,

...AMONG THEM, THERE IS PROBABLY SOMEONE WITH AN EXCELLENT SENSE OF SMELL.

....The Quinx, huh...?

....They are completely like "Onii-chan"...—

Qs Squad
Commencement of
Torso Investigation
15th day
—FIRST CLASS MADO,
I'VE COME FOR THE RESERVE QUINQUE.
RANK 2 URIE AND RANK 3 SHIRAZU, HUH?
THANKS FOR COMING.
HOW IS THE INVESTIGATION PROGRESSING?
THAT'S ALREADY GOIN' GREAT, AKIRA-SAN.
....Why is this idiot following me...?
—A PICTURE?
YEAH.
...GOING SUPERBLY.

T/N: A "cheki" is any number of small instant cameras in Japan.

DO YOU GET IT?

.....IT'S FADED.

YEP, IN OTHER WORDS,

IN CONTRAST, "MUJI" CAN DEVELOP THE ACTUAL COLORS AT CLOSE RANGE.

THE COLOR IS FADED OUT IN THE "IMMORTAL" TYPE.

URIE'S POSE WAS THE SAME.

YEAH, I GET IT.

THE CAMERA TORSO IS USING IS AN "IMMORTAL".

WHAT ABOUT TORSO'S PICTURE?

YEAH, DOES THAT HAVE SOME SIGNIFICANCE?

I'll give you these as mementos.

AND HAS BOUGHT A LARGE AMOUNT OF FILM...

HE'S A CUSTOMER WHO LIVES IN A PLACE NOT FAR FROM THE PREDATION CRIME SCENE

AND SINCE THIS IS A FOREIGN BRAND,

THE FILM MUST BE BOUGHT AT A SPECIALTY SHOP.

—THAT IS

There's "one" person who qualifies.

—THE PLAIN TYPE, "TSUNAGI".

Quinque
Bikaku: Tsunagi <plain>

YOU TWO,

CHAIRMAN WASHUU TSUNE-YOSHI'S FATHER, FORMER CHAIRMAN WASHUU YOSHIU

CREATED THE WEAPONS KNOWN AS "QUINQUES" FOR USE AGAINST THE GHOULS ALONGSIDE THE GERMAN BUREAU DIRECTOR, ADAM GEHNER.

...EVEN THOUGH IT'S TRUE THAT YOU CAN USE KAGUNE,

DON'T NE-GLECT YOUR QUINQUES.

IN THOSE DAYS, THERE WAS A CCG THAT FACED OFF AGAINST GHOULS USING FIREARMS AND THE LIKE,

BUT THE EFFECTIVENESS AGAINST GHOULS WITH KAGUNE WAS SLIM.

THE WEAPONS MANUFACTURED WITH THE BASE OF THE GHOULS' KAGUNE WERE

THE QUINQUES.

During those days spent groping for a solution to that obstacle, the method thought up

was an idea to use the ghouls' kagune.

Thanks to this, the rate of ghoul exterminations rose rapidly,

and up until now,

they have been acting as the primary weapon of us, the ghoul investigators.

...AND FURTHER-MORE, THERE IS THE PROGRESSION OF THE NEXT GENERATION TECHNOLOGY...

THE HYBRIDS, WHO HAVE RECEIVED THE HIGH BODILY-CAPABILITIES HELD BY THE GHOULS

AND CAN COVER FOR THE DEMERITS OF THE QUINQUES,

WHICH CAN'T CHANGE THEIR SHAPES LIKE A KAGUNE,...

THEY ARE, SO TO SPEAK,

"SOLDIERS WITH INTERNAL QUINQUES".
THAT'S YOU GUYS, THE QUINX.

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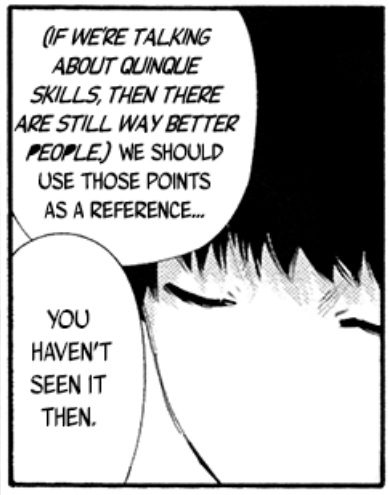
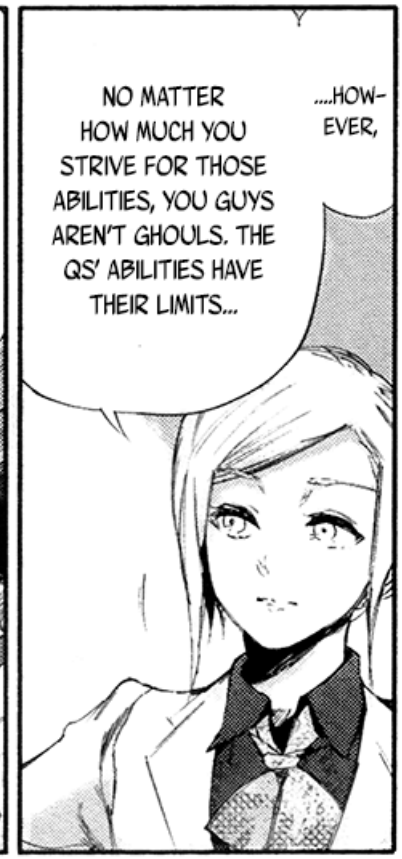

(IF WE'RE TALKING ABOUT QUINQUE SKILLS, THEN THERE ARE STILL WAY BETTER PEOPLE.) WE SHOULD USE THOSE POINTS AS A REFERENCE...
YOU HAVEN'T SEEN IT THEN.

?
USE THE QUINQUES PROPERLY.

...YOU'VE NEVER SEEN SASAKI FIGHTING AT FULL POWER, HAVE YOU?
YES, IT WAS SOME SPLENDID QUINQUE MASTERY.


....HOW-EVER,
NO MATTER HOW MUCH YOU STRIVE FOR THOSE ABILITIES, YOU GUYS AREN'T GHOULS. THE QS' ABILITIES HAVE THEIR LIMITS...

Don't become like "that"—
SHE WAS A PRETTY GIRL.
I WAS ENVIOUS OF HER LONG, SILKY HAIR...
Qs Squad
Commencement of Torso Investigation
17th day
I CAN'T BELIEVE SHE WAS ATTACKED BY A GHOUL...
MOLES, OR BIRTHMARKS.... ANYTHING LIKE THAT IS FINE.
.....
SHE DID NOT HAVE ANY PARTICULARITIES?
HER NAKED BODY.
...WE ARE SORRY BUT IT IS NECESSARY FOR THE INVESTIGATION.
DID YOU EVER SEE HER NAKED?
...HUH?

NO CLUES, HUH...?

IT'S THAT SORT OF THING. LET'S CHECK OUT THE NEXT ONE.

BY THE WAY, MUTSUKI-KUN, LAST WEEK YOU WERE ON LAUNDRY DUTY, RI—

UMM...

...?

NO, I DON'T RECALL ANYTHING.

I THINK THAT THERE WASN'T ANY-THING WEIRD THOUGH...

...UNDER-STOOD,

WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR YOUR COOPERA-TION.

SHE HAD AN APPENDECTOMY SCAR.... IF THAT'S WHAT YOU MEAN....

SHE HAD A C-SECTION WHEN OUR SON WAS BORN...

BECAUSE OF THE ACCIDENT, SHE HAD TO GET 10 STITCHES...

COME TO THINK OF IT...

SHE SAID HER THYROID GLAND HAD BEEN REMOVED DUE TO AN ILLNESS...

—SCARS... HUH?

TORSO IS PROBABLY A GHOUL WHO FEELS ATTRACTION TOWARDS WOMEN WITH SCARS.

Qs Squad
Commencement of
Torso Investigation
21st day

BUT, SENSEI... HOW CAN HE TELL WHETHER OR NOT THEY HAVE SCARS

BEFORE HE REMOVES THEIR CLOTHING?

EITHER HE "HOLDS A SPECIAL SENSE WHICH CAN DISCERN SCARS"

OR IN THE BEGINNING HE IS "KIDNAPPING THEM WITHOUT MAKING A DISTINCTION".

....THERE ARE TWO POSSIBILITIES.

ONLY HE KNOWS HOW HE'S BEEN DEALING WITH THE TORSOS.

TORSO LEAVES ONLY THE HEAD, LIMBS

AND HIS "KAGUNE SECRETIONS" AT THE CRIME SCENES.

LIKE "I'M LUCKY IF SHE HAS A SCAR"

...BUT IF NOT, THEN IT'S FINE TO PREY ON THEM ANYHOW.

"WITHOUT MAKING A DISTINCTION"?

...IF IT'S JUST HIM BEING PICKY ABOUT HIS PREY,

THEN HE SHOULD BE AIMING AT PLACES WHERE THOSE TARGETS WOULD BE AT AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE.

LOOK.

I'VE NARROWED IT DOWN TO SURGEONS' OFFICES IN PARTICULAR.

THE "HOSPITAL COMMUTE RECORDS" OF ALL THE VICTIMS.

THESE ARE...?

TORSO'S PREDATION CRIME SCENES RADIATE OUT FROM THIS AREA

WHICH IS CENTERED AROUND THE HOSPITALS.

: Torso's predation crime scenes

: Hospitals the victims commuted to

— Let's split up and check out the "Surgeon Offices" in this range.

Qs Squad
Commencement of Torso Investigation
25th day

A TAXI...

CREEAK

ALL WE CAN DO IS KEEP GOING AT IT STEADILY...

There are five days left until one month has passed, huh...?

...EX-CUSE ME!

I know...

those eyes.

A woman who came from the hospital...

...!

SQUINT

...?

Those are eyes which are targeting prey.

What is he looking at...?

I-I AM GETTING IN...!!

... HOLD ON.

IF YOU FIND A SUSPICIOUS PERSON, DON'T ACT ON YOUR OWN!

....Sensei...

...

HAVE YOU BEEN WORKING IN THIS JOB FOR LONG?

But, if the man...

THIS IS A SHORTCUT.

It's only that I'm concerned about that expression...

I have a bad feeling too...

—I just got into the car on the spur of the moment...

I wonder what's really going on...

BUT, I JUST DON'T KNOW-

CUSTOMER...

I SURE HAVE. AL-READY ABOUT 5, 6 YEARS NOW.

THE ROADS HAVE CHANGED A LOT TOO.

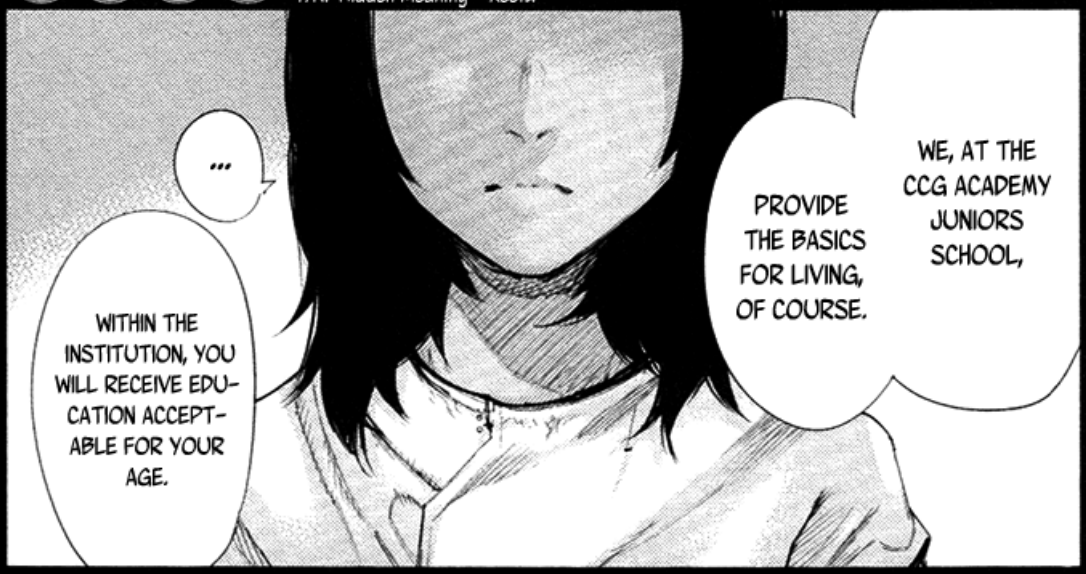
in front of me really is Torso then...

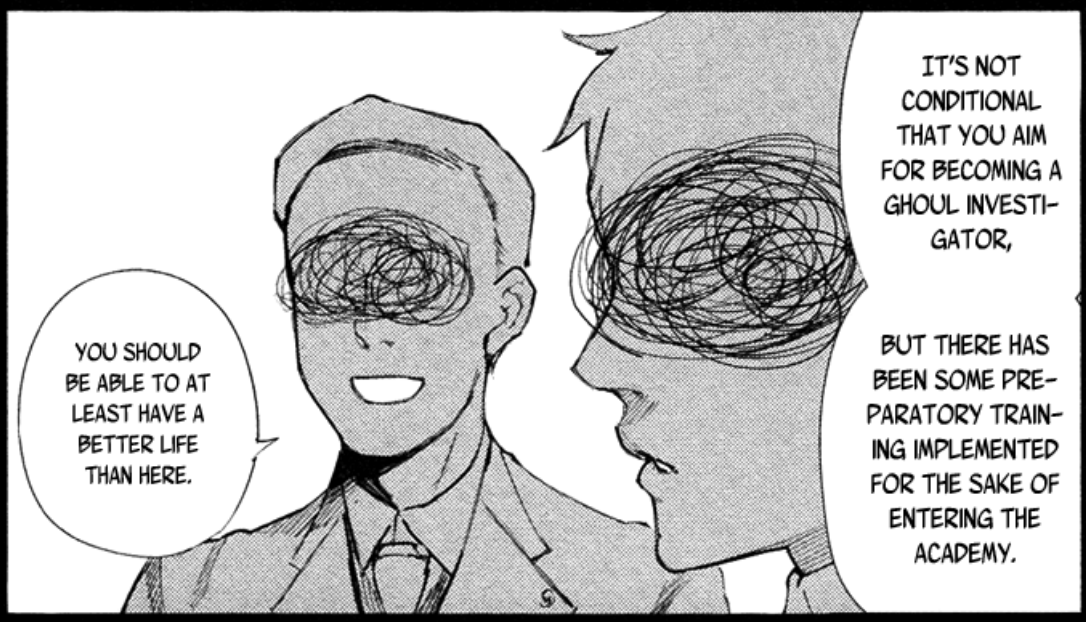
KAH... HAH...
CUSTOMER...
!?!?
Kakugan...!!
"WHICH" ARE YOU?
BE QUIET.
GO! OF ME!!
LE-
KUH, LET
A ghoul...!!
CUS-TOMER,
CUS-TOMER,

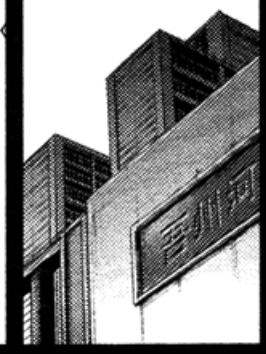
!!

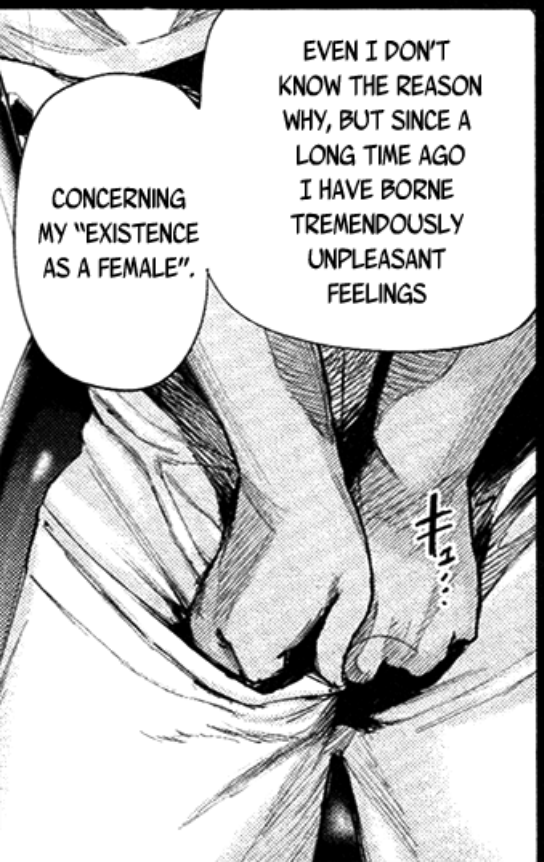
.....TCH.
WHAT'S THIS?
GRIN
AS EXPECTED, YOU'RE A GIRL, AREN'T YOU?

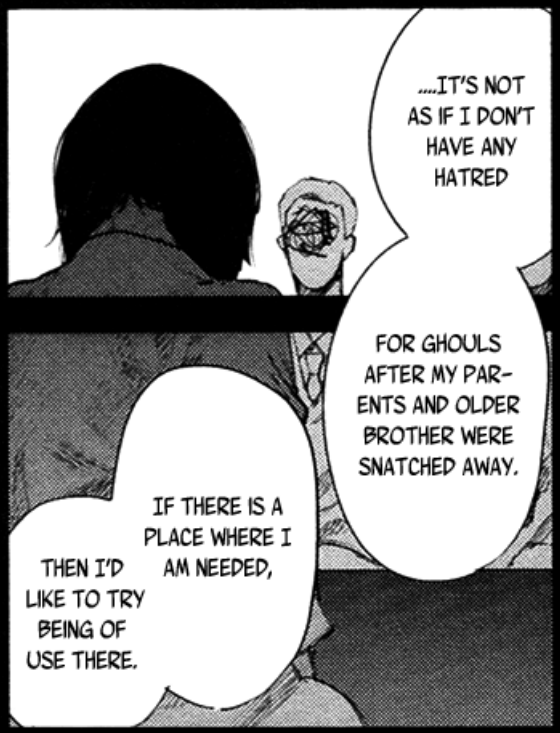
*T/N: Hidden Meaning = Resit.











FROM NOW ON,
I WANT TO LIVE AS A MALE.
PERSISTENT FUTILITY : 5

AHH.

ドゴォ
GYAH.
NICE.
THOSE ...
CUS-TOMER !!!
HAAH.
C-
Tuma

A Dove ...!!?
Quinque Rinkaku: Iphraft
Quinque Rinkaku: Abkusol
A brat like this is one of them...!!??

!!
SQUEEZE
CRACK
!!
SQUELCH
AA AH.

バキッ
バキッ
バキッ
バキッ
バキッ
バキッ
バキッ
TCH
AH..
TCH

HUFF
HUFF...

SAEKI KARAO
"TAXI 23" ON DUTY...
...THERE'S NO MISTAKING THE NUMBER.
OI...
!
IS TORSO.
AIN'T THAT TOORU INSIDE THERE!?
E''
YOUR ALLIES ...?
FUCK.
AAAA HH!!!

DRIVE FASTER, SHIRAZU.

THEN IT'LL BE A TRAFFIC LAW VIOLATION!?

IT WILL BE EITHER WAY... (HURRY, YOU RETARD!!!)

WHAT'S ALL THIS...? WHAT'S GOING ON...?

I DON'T HAVE A MASK... TODAY~~

SQUEAL

ROOAR

SQUEAL

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JEEZ.

EVEN IF I MISS...

DON'T BITCH ABOUT IT!!!

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...THE TIRES!

AIM FOR THE TIRES WITH YOUR KAGUNE!

HAA AH!?

BASTARD, DON'T SAY RIDICULOUS BULLSHIT!!!

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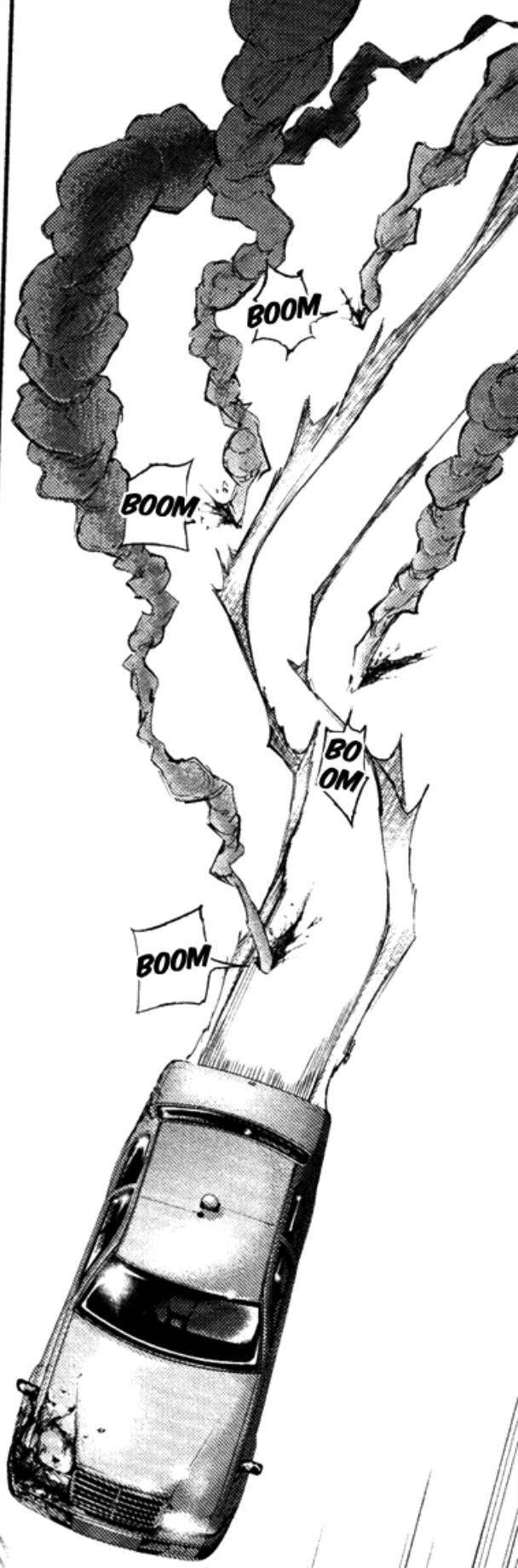
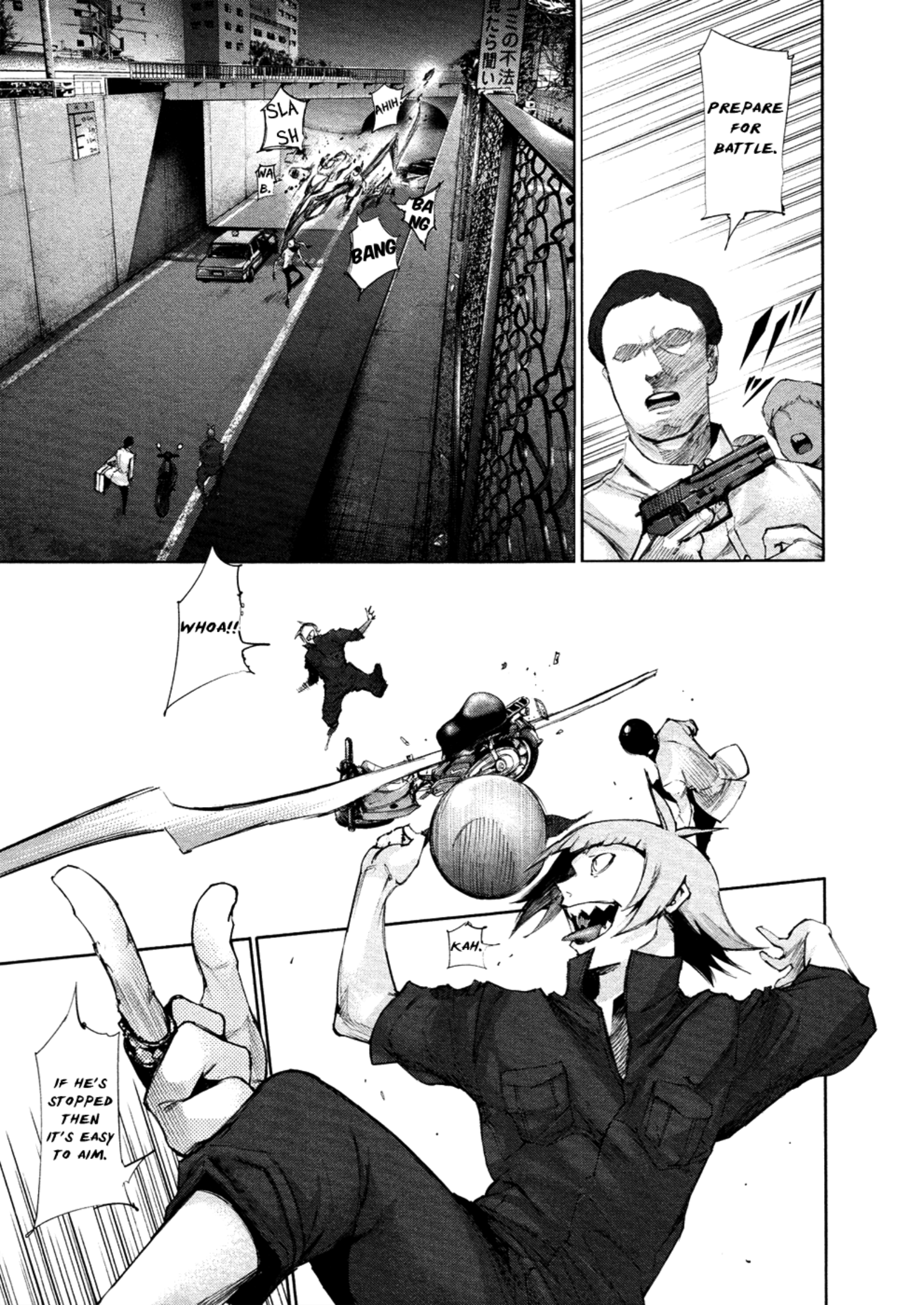


A gestured motion moving upwards from the back which represents a kagune. It's a gesture which indicates that the target is a ghoul.

PLEASE STOP
VROOM
THE CA-ARGH.
BAS-TARD ...
TOSS

EEEEK KK!!!
!
A ROAD-BLOCK ...!?
I didn't call for that...
Rank I Sasaki, huh...!!?
THAT'S A BIG HELP, AIN'T IT!?

!
HE CAME OUT.
HE MEANS THAT TO BE HIS MASK? (THAT IDIOT)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AHIH.
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B.
BA
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BANG
PREPARE FOR BATTLE.
WHOA!!
KAH.
IF HE'S STOPPED THEN IT'S EASY TO AIM.

These guys are... the "ones from before"...
A kagune!? ...no way...
SWISH
BOOM
GUHEG
HABEH.
BOOM

BO H.
HER AH.
THEY...
ARE IN-VESTIGA-TORS WITH INTERNAL QUINQUES ...
IT'S THE QS...

Kagune ...!!
Come out.....
.....
Come out, come out, come out, come out!!
...Come out, come out ...!!

.... I also ... have to fight ...
SQUAD LEADER, SHIRAZU-KUN...
CLICK
SHUD-DAP!!
YOUR BARRAGE IS WEAK.

DON'T EASE UP ON THE ATTACK.
A RINKAKU..? AND HE REGENER-ATES DAMN FAST.
I...
Even though those two can use theirs that well...

...
~~TCH.

(IF SASAKI HADN'T NEEDLESSLY INTERFERED,
I WOULD HAVE BEEN ABLE TO GET THE WHOLE ACHIEVE-MENT...)
...I'LL PRESS HIM FOR ANSWERS AND SECURE HIM RIGHT AW-
YEAH,

...It's no good...

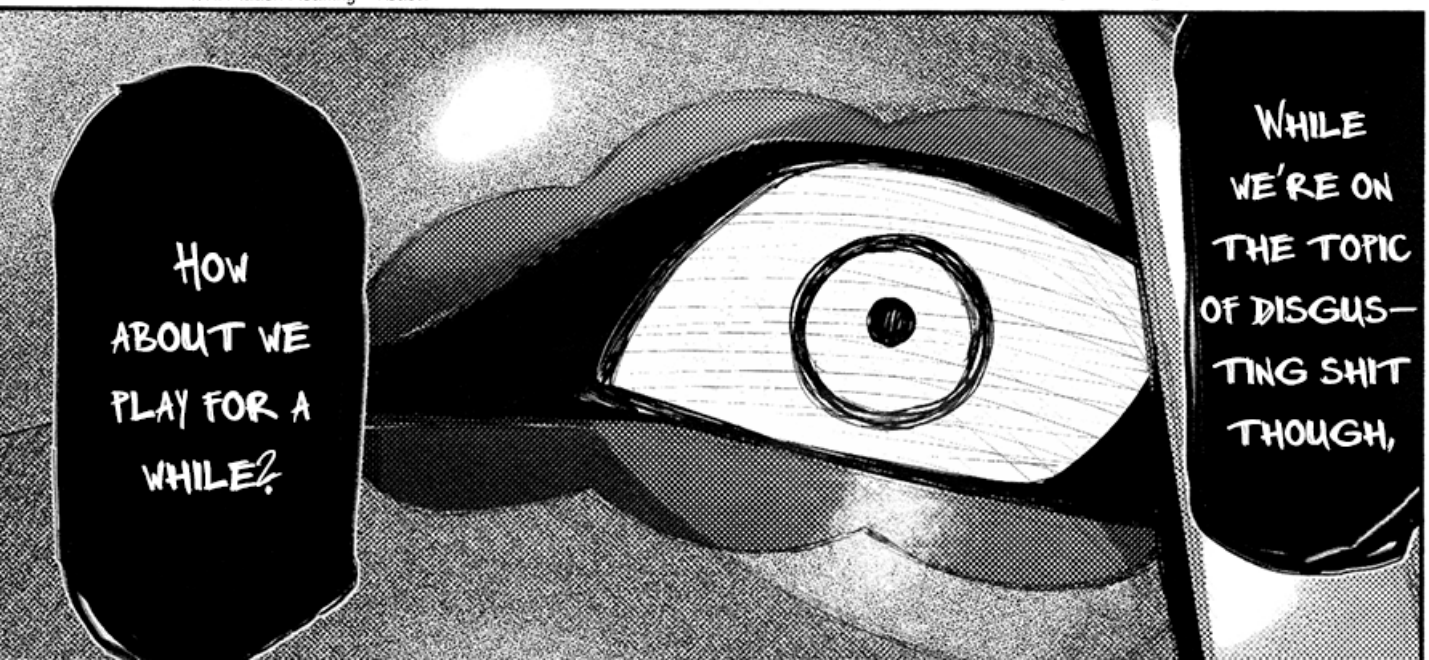
THAT SECUR-ING
HM IH
!?!?

That kagune ...
EAH ...
Wha...?

HAS BEEN SUSPENDED.
S (~) rate Ghoul
Serpent

A BAD GAMBLE ON THE POSSESSIVE VILLAIN : 6

T/N: Hidden Meaning = React.



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TAP

TAP

!!

HAH!!

URI !!

.....Tch!!!

WHOA.

SINCE IT SEEMS LIKE YOU'LL BECOME A HINDRANCE SOME DAY,

RIGHT NOW, I'LL "PLUCK" YOU GUYS TOO.

SORRY BUT I DON'T HAVE ANY MERCY FOR DOVES.

COUGH.

FUCK!

UN-WOUNDED, HUH...!?

Peas!?

A PEA-SHOOTER?

....THE HELL IS THAT?

The one who is going to be plucked is you, bastard.

....(THAT FUCKING TRASH...)

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TRY ACTUALLY HITTING

WHAT'S THE MAT-TER?

COME ON,

ME!!

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URIE!!

My kagune ...

ニュウ ウ...

Is that a Koukaku?

Fuck... As usual, the time I have is...

....!

ズ!!

You're just a fake, after all, huh?

It was only a kick, you know?

This is an S rate or higher Ghoul...

....

completely unable to compete with him...

....To think Urie-kun is

Hm?

Do I...

I can't move...

I'm scared...

What? There was another one?

I'll start from you and finish everyone of——

Do I stand a chance against him....?

RAWR GH!!!

!

!!

WE'RE RUNNING AWAY!

EEH?

TOORU!

CHE ...

WHAT A LAME NAME ...

TAKE THIS!

ZERO RANGE BOMB-ER!!

SUCH AN AT-TACK ...
SLIDE
WILL HAVE ANY EF-FECT?
UGH ...
YOU. REALLY. THINK.
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ドン
JEEZ, YOU'RE SO LAME...
THAT YOU'RE ANNOY-ING!
GEEH.
OW OW
OW OW OW.

IF WE WERE TO DIE, THEN THERE'D BE NOTHING WE COULD DO, RIGHT?

THERE'S STILL A BUNCH OF STUFF WE HAVE TO DO THOUGH.

First of all, I gotta buy a replacement bike.

FOR NOW, WE'LL "RETREAT".

LET'S WITHDRAW FROM HERE...

MY KAGUNE ALSO RAN OUT.

Y... YEAH.

OUCH ... ARE YOU OKAY, TOORU?

.....
"Retreat"
...?

IT IS OUR RESPONSI-BILITY.

WE COULDN'T PROTECT YOUR FATHER...

WE'RE SORRY, KUKI-KUN... SPECIAL CLASS URIE IS...

CALLED THE "ONE-EYED OWL" AND ORDERED US OF THE S3 SQUAD TO RETREAT...

...THE SQUAD LEADER REMAINED BEHIND TO FACE THE POWERFUL GHOUL

Don't fuck with me.

!?
OI, DUMB-ASS, WHAT ARE YOU DOING!?
I'M "EATING PREY" IN ORDER TO INVOKE MY KAGUNE.
...IF ONE'S INDIVIDUAL EXTERMINATION ABILITIES ARE DEEMED TO BE EQUIVALENT TO AN S RATE
THEN THE POSSIBILITY OF RECEIVING THE "WHITE WING MEDAL" INCREASES.
ARE YOU INSANE, YOU BAS-TARD...!?
I SAID STOP IT!!
U-
URIE-KUN, LET'S RE-TREAT!!
(promotion promotion promotion promotion promotion promotion promotion promotion promotion promotion promotion promotion)
URIE!!
URIE-KUN!!
JEEZ...
OKAY, THIS IS THE END.
!

!!!

SAS-
SAN.

SEN-
SEI
...!

...

HAH?

THE KING OF THE FAKES ...?

...WHO THE HELL ARE YOU, BASTARD?

....

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Quinque
Koukaku: Yukimura 1/3

Hm...?

...

CLA NG

This guy...

is somehow...

DON'T YOU LAY A HAND ON MY...

SUB

ORDI

NATES

YOU'RE A PAIN

GSH

MOV- ING AROUND SO MUCH ...

LAUGH

OK

...

HNN

...

GUH

IN THE ASS !!!

JAN-GLE.

TURN TOWARDS ME... YOU'RE COLD, AREN'T YOU?

THAT YOU NEED "ME".

EVEN THOUGH YOU KNOW

YOUR SUBORDI-NATES WILL BE KILLED BY THAT GUY.

YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO PROTECT ANYTHING...

AT THIS RATE,

YOU WANT "THIS", DON'T YOU?

...

.....

ACCEPT ME.

HEY,

Akira-san...

....Arima-san....

Give me...

...

MUTSUKI-KUN, CONTACT AKIRA-SAN.

I won't be swallowed up by you...

.....

SHUT UP...

COME ON COME ON COME ON

It's been a long time since I've seen such a ghoul...

....

He's strong ...

IF IT'S WITH MY QUINQUE...

What should I do...?

!!

YOU'RE WEAK, AREN'T YOU, HAISE?

COURAGE
SLIP

T/N: Hidden Meaning = Remind

CRASH
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CHE...
(at that level...)
...IT'LL COME BACK SOON.
SERPENT'S KAGUNE BROKE!?
D... DID HE DO IT??
AS EXPECTED ...
YOU'RE PRETTY TOUGH!!
...to think he can mold such a huge kagune so many times...

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TCH!!
GUPUH
...
THANKS.
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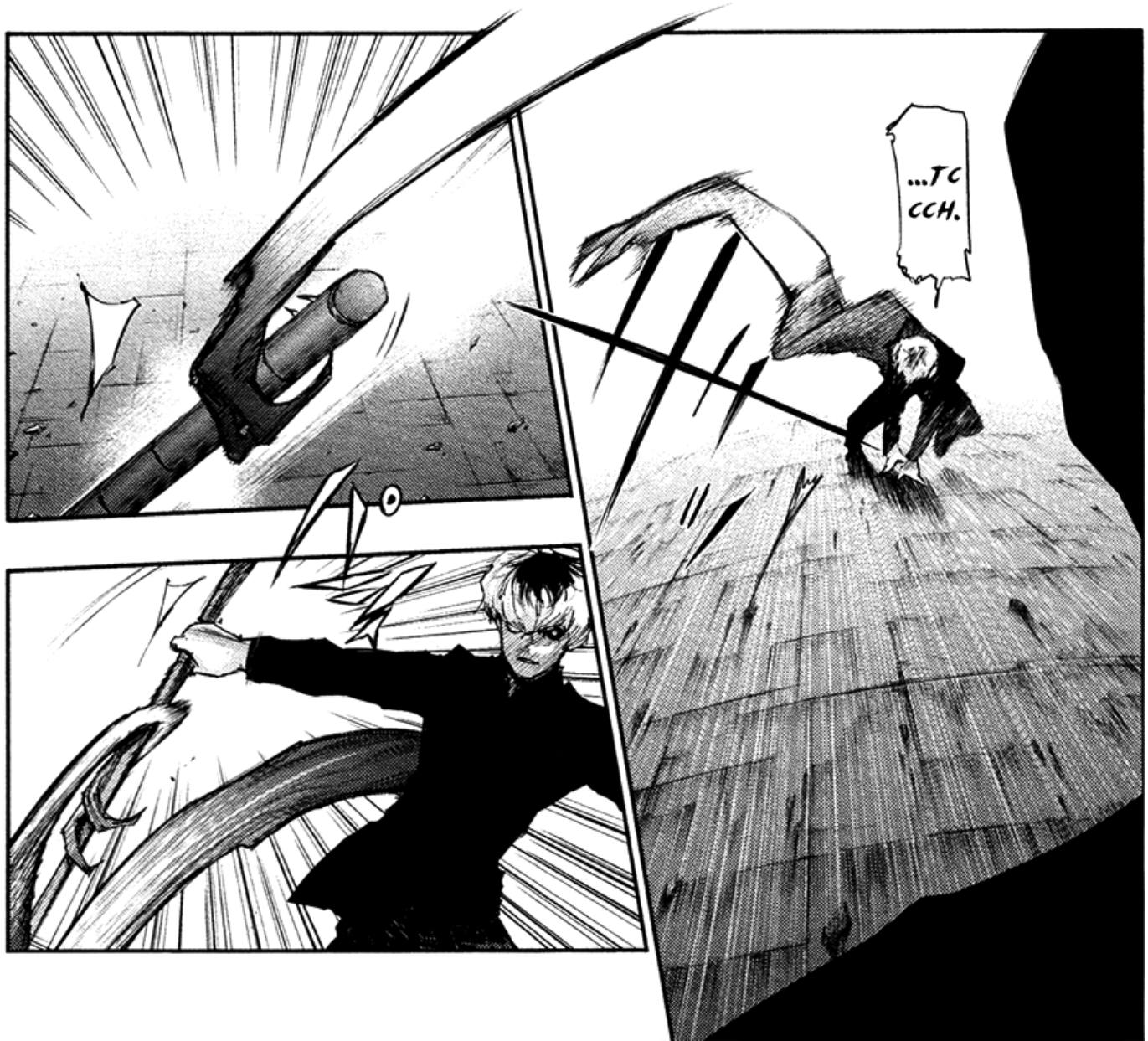
...TC
CCH.

AMAZING...
HE'S USING THE QUINQUE AND KAGUNE AT THE SAME TIME...
BUT IT WAS DODGED BY JUST A HAIR'S BREADTH...
!
CLING

AGUH
GO
BAH
GUH
BUH
BEH
GUH
PAH
OH
BAH
GIH
GUH
GOAH
BEH
BOH
SSA...
RAAA
AH!!!
TAKE
NOW
!!!

CCG
THIS!
Will the regene... ration be... in ti-...
HIH
GAH
...IS THAT ALL?
Stand up... I still...
TAMSE
SENSEI ...!!
TOORU

STANDBY.
!
ズズ…
RANK 3 MUTSUKI,
JUST WATCH-ING LIKE THIS IS SO…!!
…I CAN STILL FIGHT.
….I…
….
!
THIS IS A SUPERIOR'S ORDER.

...ALRIGHT,
like a different person...
He's somehow ...
TOORU! DON'T GET IN THE WAY!
AH.
YOU WON'T BE PASSING THROUGH HERE, SERPENT-SAN.
....BUT,
I THINK, IT'S BETTER NOT TO KNOW—
I WONDER
AHAHAH,
...IF I SHOULD BE PLEASED BY THAT...
I SUD-DENLY
HAVE A SURGING INTEREST IN YOU.
MORE SO THAN THOSE LITTLE BRATS,

ME?
!
!
!

!!
.... A "sword" ...!?
THIS FEEL-ING...
This guy...
his skill with the kagune is completely different from before...

GU H.
From the ground ...!!
He put on that act behind me, so I didn't pay attention until it was below me...!
!?!?
...
GUH.
O
OOH.
GA... AH.
...LET ME RETURN THE FAVOR.

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SCRAPE

CCG

...JEEZ.

.....SIGH ~~~...

....."I'LL DIE, I'LL DIE"... WASN'T IT?

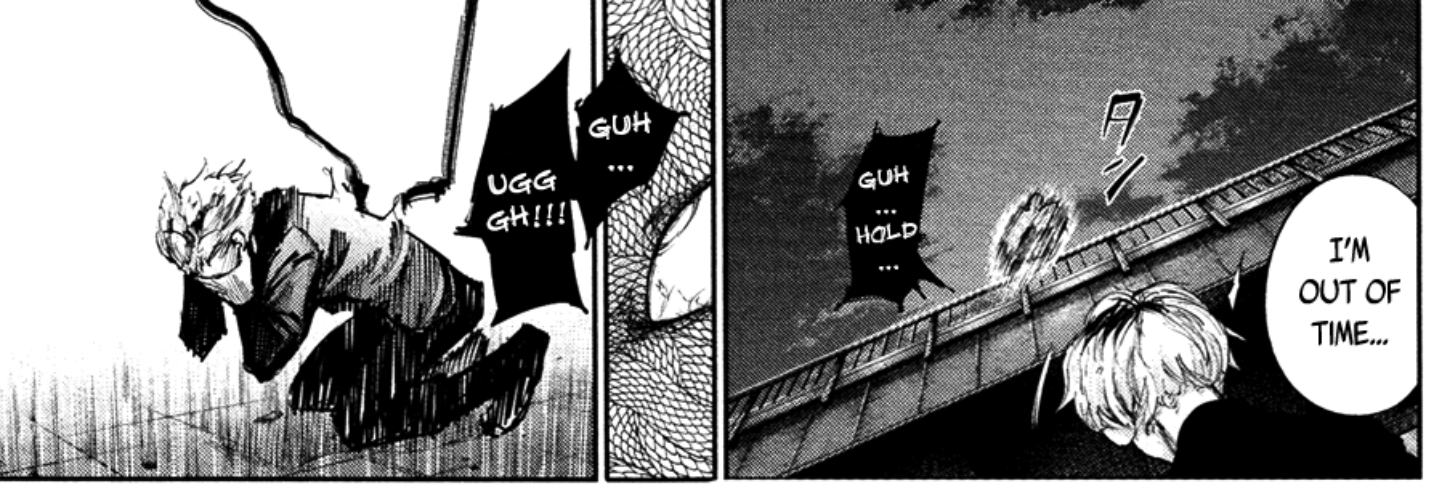
WON'T BE SAVED NO MATTER WHERE THEY GO, HUH...?

PEOPLE LIKE YOU...

.....NISHIO-, SENPAI?
.....
!?
KANEKI.
Who is that??

GUAH.
THROB
THROB
...!?
ドサッ
"SEN-PAI"...?
...??
What was that voice...?

THROB
what did I say?
What's this... I...
...SORRY...
AAAH.
UGH ...!!


GUH ...
UGG GH!!!
GUH ... HOLD ...
I'M OUT OF TIME...

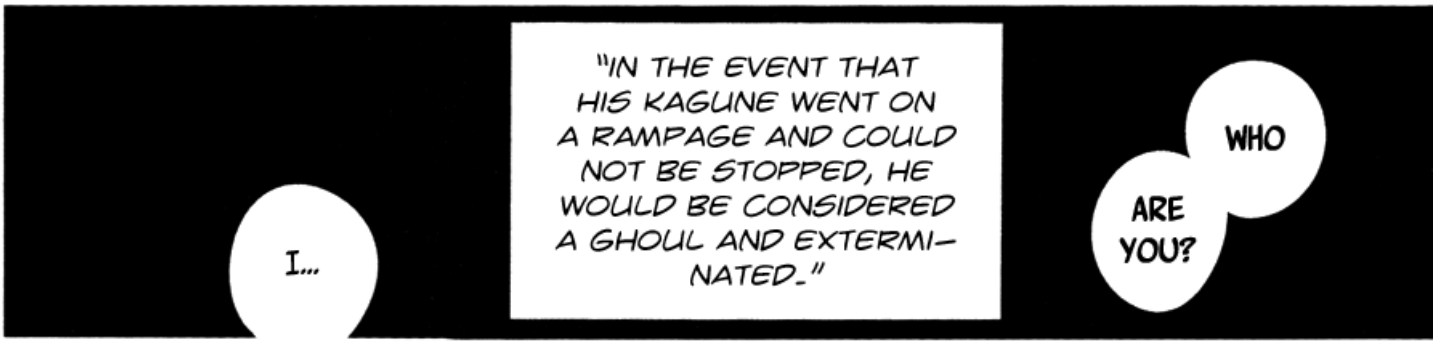
AA AH H
AAH
UGH
JII GH.
AH, DE

THE PURSUIT OF SERPENT IS SUSPENDED.
!
!!
First Class Hirako's team ...!?

T/N: The kanji for "Takeomi" can also be read as "Bujin" - which can mean "military man".

...AKIRA.
.....
...
...YEAH,
LEAVE IT TO ME.
...SLEEP FOR A WHILE, HAISE.

—"RANK 1 INVESTI-GATOR SASAKI HAISE IS
"A HALF-GHOUL."
AND SORT OUT YOUR AFFAIRS.
...TRY TO TAKE YOUR TIME
"HE WAS THE VICTIM OF A KAKUHOU TRANS-PLANT, AT THE HANDS OF
AOGIRI TREE'S MAD SCI-ENTIST--- "KANOU", WHICH "GHOULI-FIED" HIM."
....I...
I...AM A GHOUL INVESTIGA-TOR ATTACHED TO THE MADO SQUAD.
"---SOME "RULES" WERE ESTABLISHED IN REGARDS TO HIS TREATMENT.
ONE WAS THAT
"SASAKI HAISE WILL BE TREATED AS A 'HUMAN'"
I'M THE QUINX SQUAD MENTOR
AND CUR-RENTLY INVESTI-GATING TORSO...
"AN-OTHER WAS THAT"


WHO ARE YOU?
"IN THE EVENT THAT HIS KAGUNE WENT ON A RAMPAGE AND COULD NOT BE STOPPED, HE WOULD BE CONSIDERED A GHOUL AND EXTERMI-NATED."
I...

"THOUGH WE WOULD ATTEMPT TO CALM HIM DOWN WITH RC SUPPRESSANTS TO THE BEST OF OUR ABILITIES,
I AM...
IN THE CASE OF SOMETHING UNEX-PECTED, WE'D HAVE TO EXTER-MINATE HIM."
SASAKI... HAISE...
"---WHILE HAISE UN-DERSTOOD THIS RISK,
HE TRIED TO SAVE YOU GUYS."
...THAT'S RIGHT.
YOU ARE SASAKI HAISE.

— ... Several days after the "failure to secure Torso and Serpent."

AGENT : 8

T/N: Hidden meaning = reagent or regent.

....SHOWING ONE'S BACK TO THE ENEMY IS DANGEROUS.

I TOOK INTO ACCOUNT THE POSSIBILITY THAT WE WOULD BE PURSUED BY SERPENT.

IS IT REAL-LY A MISTAKE THAT WARRANTS BEING HIT FOR THOUGH?

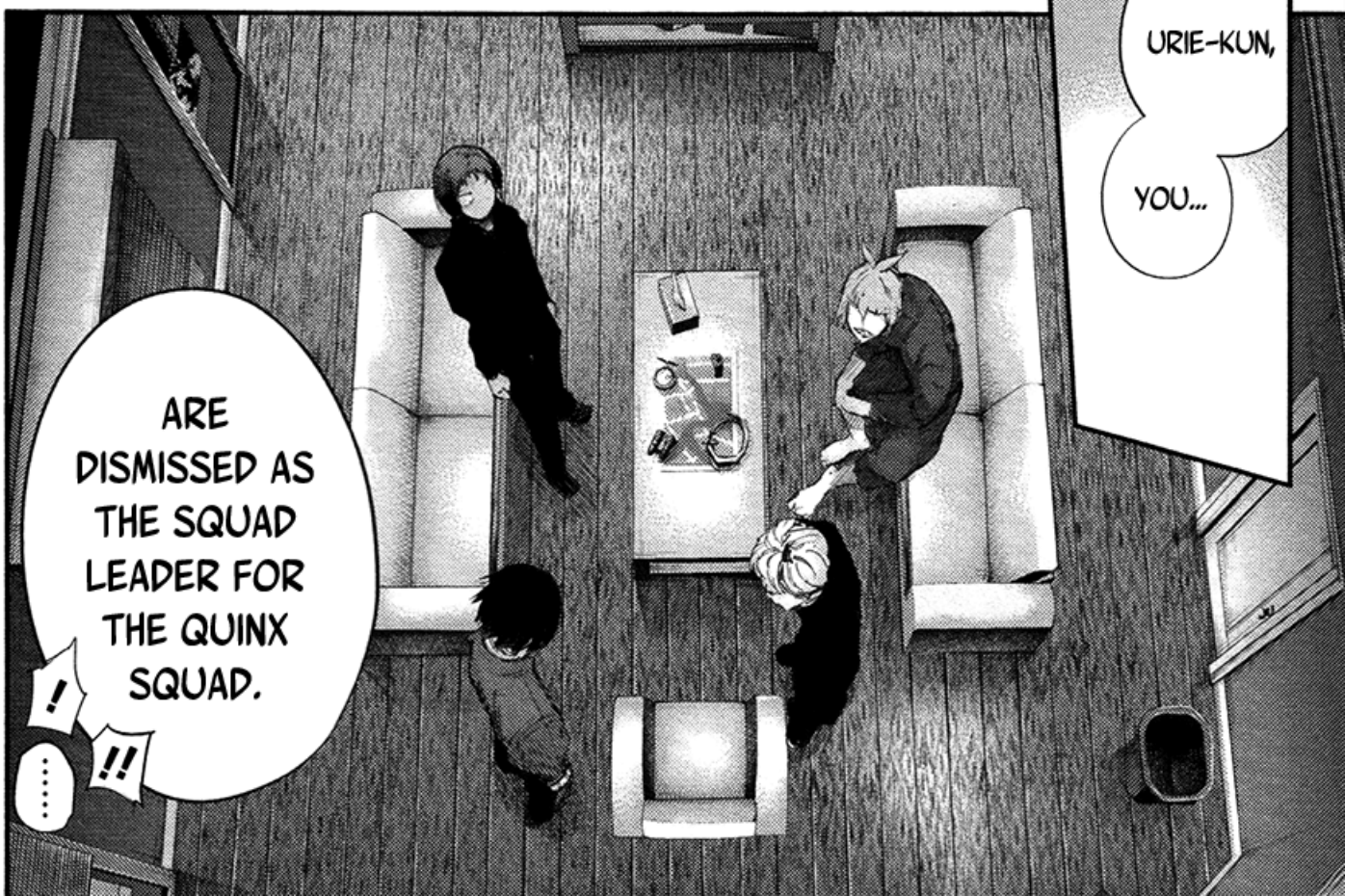
....WHAT'S THE SQUAD LEADER DOING PUTTING THE SQUAD MEMBERS IN DANGER?

IF YOU'D HAVE FACED HIM FROM THE FRONT, YOU'D HAVE BEEN KILLED.

GHOUL INVESTIGATORS SHOULD...

"RUN AWAY"
"EVEN IF THEY HAVE THEIR LIMBS RIPPED OFF"!

....AS LONG AS YOU SURVIVE, YOU'LL HAVE COUNTLESS MORE CHANCES.
IF YOU LOSE YOUR LIFE THEN YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO DO ANY-THING.

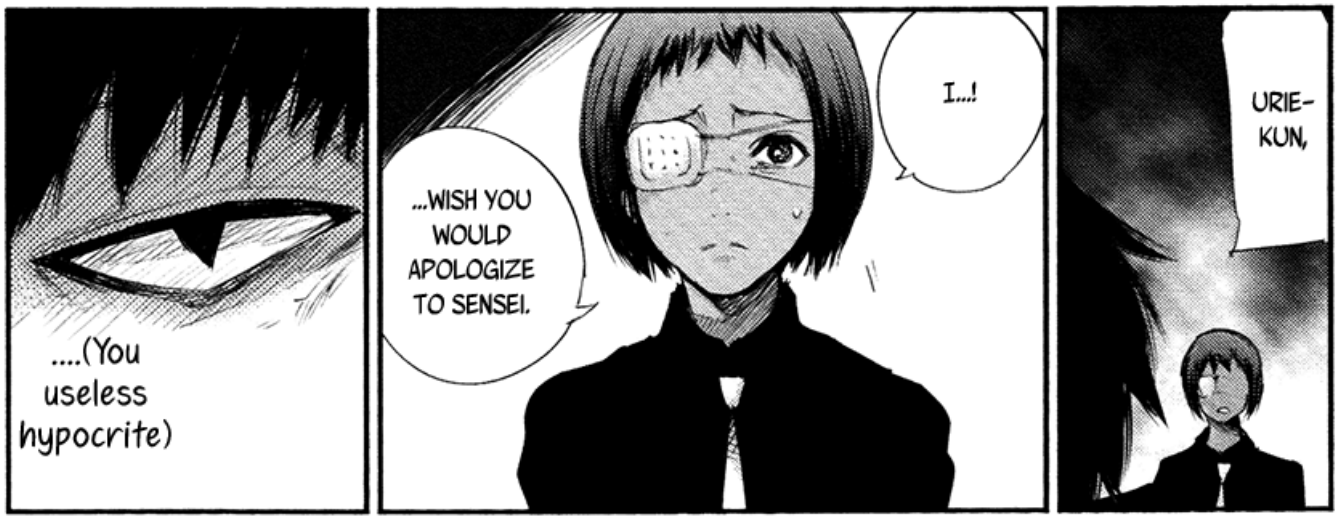

URIE-KUN, YOU...
ARE DISMISSED AS THE SQUAD LEADER FOR THE QUINX SQUAD.
!
!!
.....

IN THIS TEAM, THE PERSON WITH THE HIGHEST RANK IS ME.
AND I'VE JUDGED THAT YOU ARE NOT SUITABLE TO ACT AS SQUAD LEADER.
...AS FAR AS SQUAD ORGANIZATION GOES,
I WILL IMPROVE.
I WILL TAKE OVER THE COMMAND.
I ALREADY TOLD YOU TO IMPROVE.
BASICALLY, IT'S CUSTOMARY THAT THE PERSON WITH THE HIGHEST RANK
IS THE ONE WHO CARRIES THE COMMAND.
IT'S A SUPERIOR'S ORDERS.
I AM UNABLE TO AGREE TO THAT.

...THOUGH YOU'RE JUST A FUCKING GHOUL ( )
URI ...
( ) ... ( ) ( ) ( )
.....

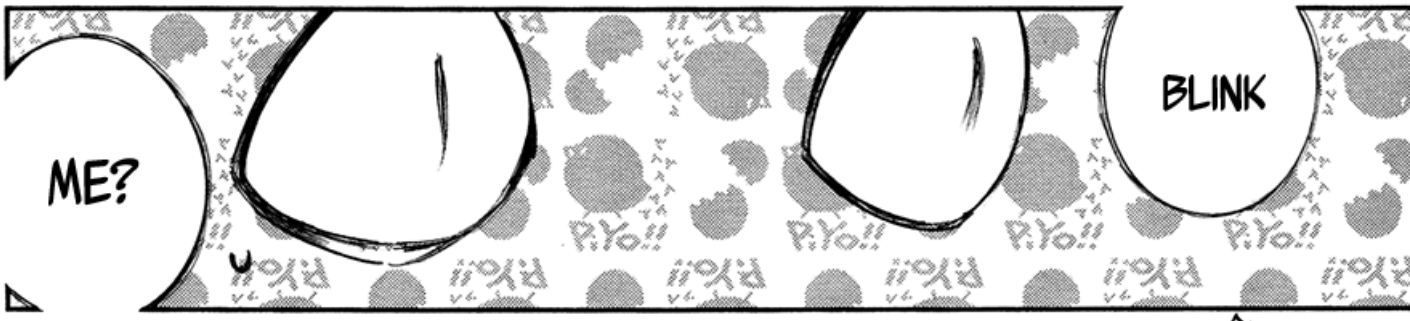
URE!!!
YOU FUCKING TRASH!!

TRY IT...
I'LL KILL YOU RIGHT HERE ON THE SPOT!!!
THEN YOU'RE EVEN LESS THAN A GHOUL, YOU FUCKING SHITHEAD!!
IF YOU'RE GOING TO CALL SASSAN A "GHOUL"
SASSAN RISKED HIS LIFE AND SAVED US, DIDN'T HE!?


....(You useless hypocrite)
...WISH YOU WOULD APOLOGIZE TO SENSEI.
I...!
URIE-KUN,

...BESIDES THAT,
NO MATTER WHAT URIE-KUN SAYS, I'VE DECIDED TO DISMISS HIM.
THE NEW SQUAD LEADER IS...
!
...
I'VE ALREADY DECIDED ON A NEW SQUAD LEADER.
SHIRAZU-KUN...
LET HIM GO.

RANK 3 SHIRAZU GINSHI.
...HUH?
FUCK THAT DAMN URIE BAS-TARD.
WILL IT BE TOO-RU?


BLINK
ME?

I'D LIKE TO TRY LEAVING SQUAD LEADER TO YOU.
OKAY...
....

...I THINK THE POSITION OF LEADER OF THE SQUAD SHOULD BE ASSUMED BY SOMEONE WHO CAN WORK FOR THE SAKE OF THE TEAM.

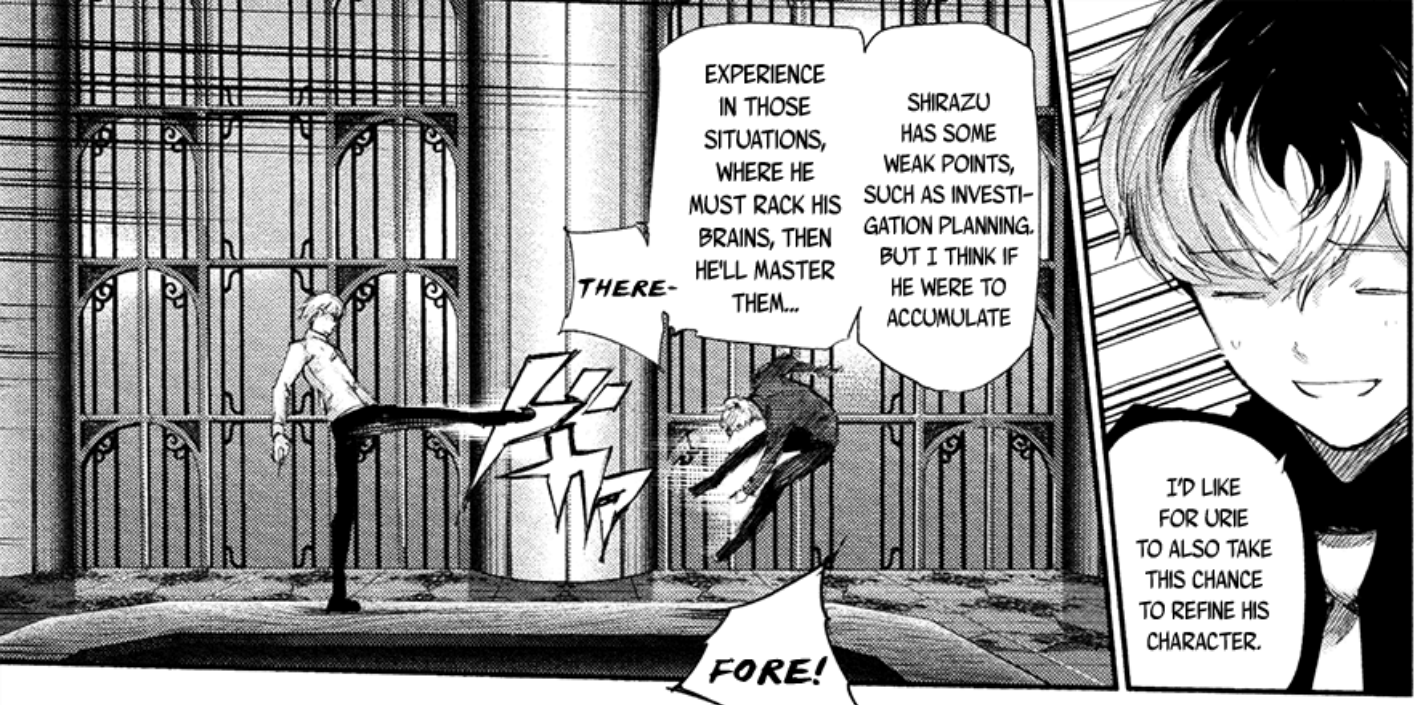
WAIT JUST A SECOND, SASSAN!!
THIS SORT OF THING NEEDS A SMART PERSON TO DO, DOESN'T IT!?
MY GRADES IN CLASS WERE THE WORST NEXT TO SAIKO'S, RIGHT!?

....WHAT SHOULD I DO AS SQUAD LEADER...!?
WE'LL SAVE THAT FOR ANOTHER DAY...

URIE-KUN.
...IF YOU GET TOO REBEL-LIOUS I'LL EAT YOU!
IF YOU SAY I'M A GHOUL!!
HM PH!!
PAT
.....
NOW THEN, GO TO BED. TOMORROW WILL COME EARLY! Good night...
SQUAD LEADER...
.....
UGH...
TCH....
UU...

—I wonder if it's okay that we fight here.
—THE SQUAD LEADER
IS SHIRAZU GINSHI?
....WHAT HAPPENED TO URIE KUKI?
URIE IS CERTAINLY EXCELLENT.
AND SINCE HE'S QUICK TO UNDERSTAND THINGS HIS APTITUDE FOR INVESTIGATING IS GOOD TOO.
HE WAS AN ACADEMY HONOR STUDENT THE SAME AS KUROIWA-KUN ...
BECAUSE HE TOOK THE DRILLS BY SKIPPING A FEW GRADES....

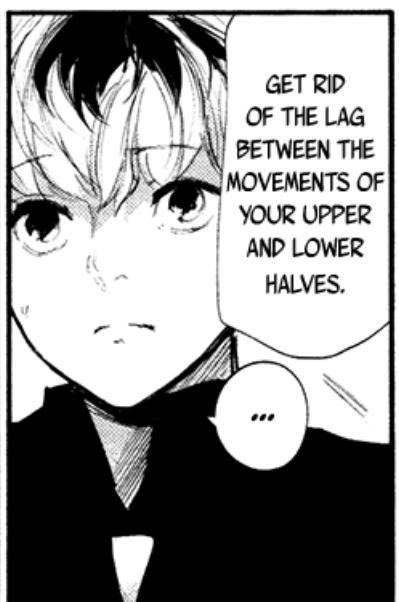
...I THINK THE NEEDED THING
IN EVERY SCENE, NOT JUST LIMITED TO INVESTIGATORS, IS "CHARACTER".
...SHIRAZU,
DESPITE APPEARANCES, THINKS ABOUT THE STUFF AROUND HIM.
THAT'S AN INTERESTING COMMAND, HAISE.
JUST LIKE YOU.


I'D LIKE FOR URIE TO ALSO TAKE THIS CHANCE TO REFINE HIS CHARACTER.
SHIRAZU HAS SOME WEAK POINTS, SUCH AS INVESTIGATION PLANNING. BUT I THINK IF HE WERE TO ACCUMULATE
EXPERIENCE IN THOSE SITUATIONS, WHERE HE MUST RACK HIS BRAINS, THEN HE'LL MASTER THEM...
THERE-

FORE!

I YIELD...

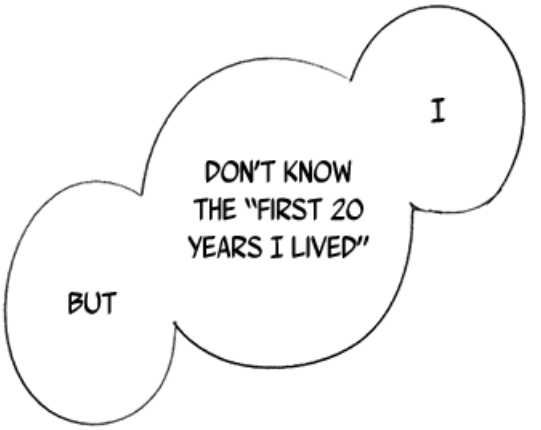
UM... ARIMA-SAN.
Ow ow ow...
HM?


GET RID OF THE LAG BETWEEN THE MOVEMENTS OF YOUR UPPER AND LOWER HALVES.
...

NOT BAD, HAISE.
BUT YOU MUST BE FASTER.

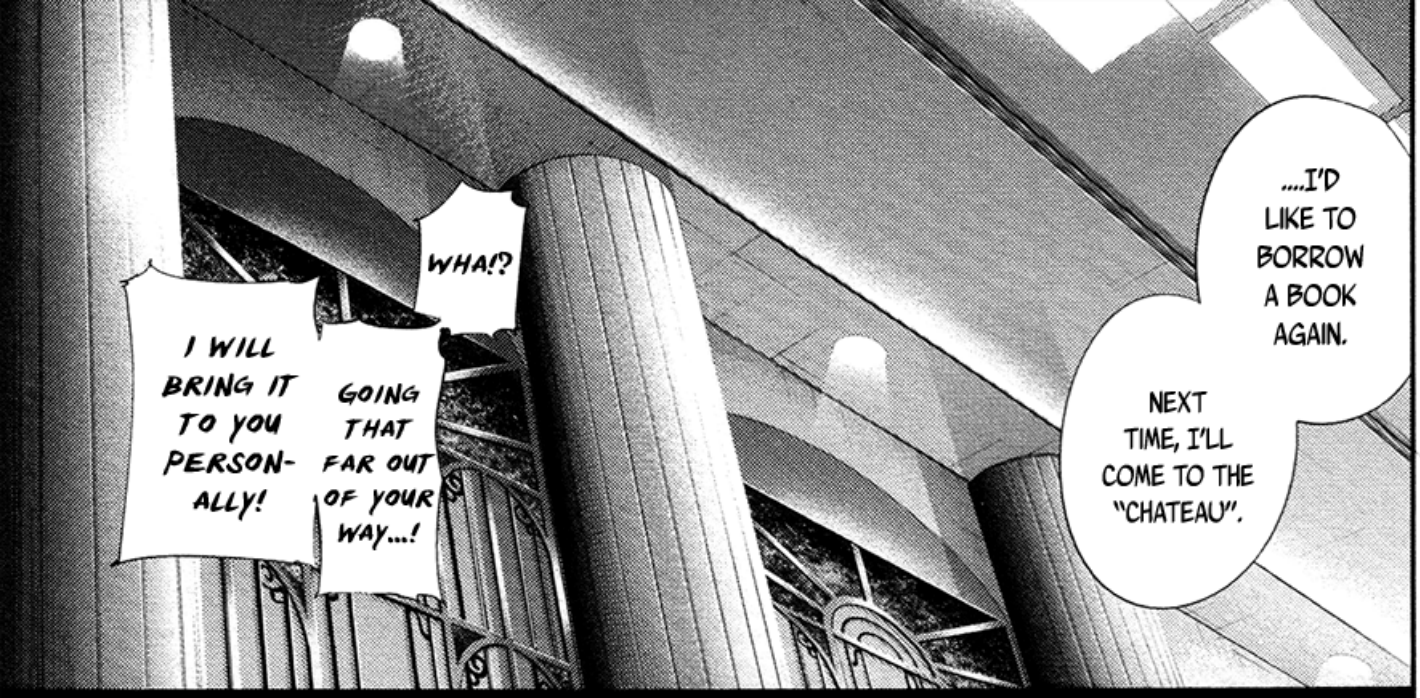
...YOU CALLED ME FOR THE CASE A FEW DAYS AGO...?
BECAUSE I COULDN'T CONTROL MYSELF...
WE FAILED TO CAPTURE
TORSO, NOT TO MENTION...
EVEN SERPENT, WHOM FIRST CLASS HIRAKO HAD BEEN PURSUING...
IN THE CASE OF A FAILURE SUCH AS THIS... I'D LIKE TO APOLOGIZE TO FIRST CLASS HIRA—
THIS
IS THE BOOK I BORROWED.
I don't think Take cares.
THANKS,
IT WAS SHORT BUT I WAS PLEASED WITH KAFKA'S "A CROSS-BREED".
AH...
KAFKA'S SOMEWHAT INSULAR HUMOR CAN BE FELT FROM THAT.
IT'S A NICE SHORT STORY, ISN'T IT...?
—YOU NEEDED TO GO BEYOND YOUR LIMITS AND USE YOUR KAGUNE,
SO YOU DID.
THAT'S ALL THERE IS TO IT, RIGHT?

"USE ME", "LEND ME YOUR BODY"...
...
"HE" WHISPERS INTO MY EARS.
DID YOU HEAR THE "VOICE" AGAIN?
....YES.
IF YOU COULD RAISE THOSE LIMITS, THAT'D BE GOOD.
.....
THAT IS DEFINITELY THE "FORMER ME".
...NO, THAT'S WRONG. HE'S SURELY SAYING "GIVE IT BACK"...


I DON'T KNOW THE "FIRST 20 YEARS I LIVED" BUT

WHEN I'M TROUBLED, AKIRA-SAN SUPPORTS ME.
AND IT'S FUN TO BE ABLE TO TALK TO YOU LIKE THIS, ARIMA-SAN...
THERE IS NOTHING FOR ME...
I CAN'T GUIDE THE QS VERY WELL EITHER....
BUT I'D LIKE TO HELP THEM QUICKLY BECOME ADULTS.
EVEN THOUGH WORKING AT THE CCG IS HARD,
I THINK I WANT TO BE USEFUL TO PEOPLE.

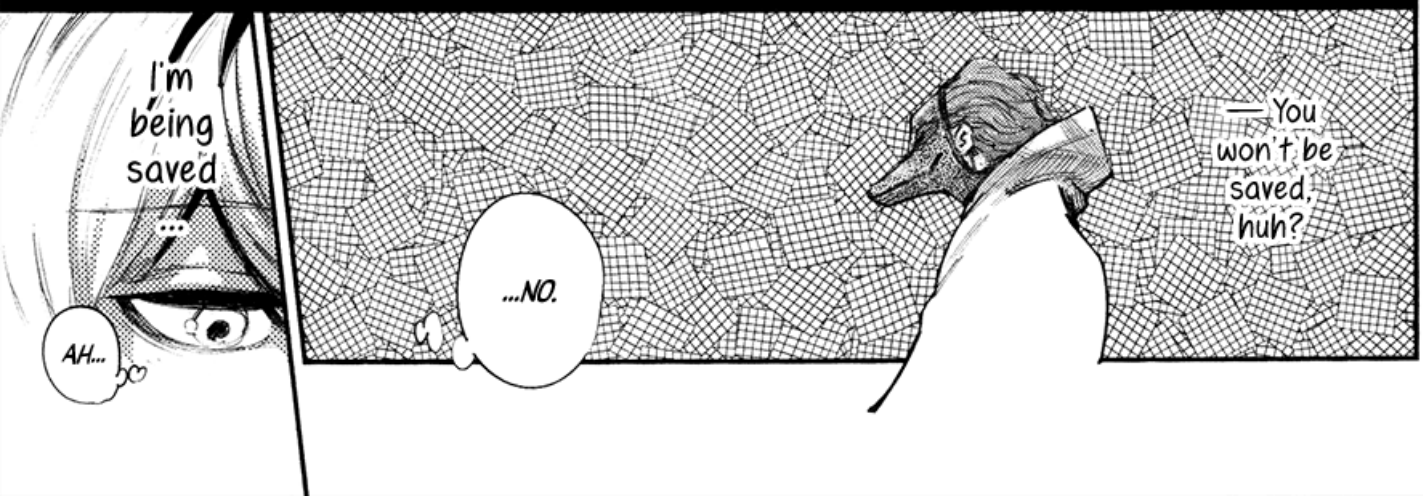
BUT, LIKE THIS
I'M PRETTY HAPPY.
W-
WELL, I ALREADY HAVE FAMILY HERE.
...YOU DON'T THINK ABOUT WANT-ING TO MEET YOUR FAMILY OR FORMER FRIENDS?
...THAT'S INCREDIBLY SCARY...
WOULD COMPLETE-LY DISAP-PEAR...
IT SEEMS LIKE ALL THE THINGS I'VE BUILT UP LITTLE BY LITTLE THESE TWO YEARS
IF... MY "FORMER SELF" RETURNED...
AHAHA.
A ROUGH FAMILY.
...THAT'S
OH MAN,
I HAVE ONLY TROU-BLESOME KIDS...
YOU... ARE LIKE A PARENT TO THE QS.
...KIDDING.
.....
ARIMA-SAN, YOU ARE MY "FATHER",
AND AKIRA-SAN IS MY "MOTHER"...



It's okay... I can still fight.

Even if I go wild and can't revert back...

If it's Arima-san, then, for me, he'll earnestly....——



...even if I'm just "playing House".
...I WASN'T ABLE... TO TALK ABOUT SERPENT...
—AOGIRI TREE'S POWER IS INCREASING,
THE CCG IS HARD-PRESSED TO DEAL WITH THEM.
TODAY'S VICTIM IS...
PRINCESS URI!
.....!

YO...
I CAME BECAUSE TOORU WAS BEING ANNOYING.

URIE-KUN, HOW ABOUT COOPERATING WITH EVERY-ONE...
ENOUGH THAT IF A GHOUL LIKE SERPENT CAME OUT WE'D BE ABLE TO FIGHT HIM...

FOR NOW, SHOULDN'T SAIKO-CHAN BE DOING THINGS SOONER OR LATER...?
.....
THAT NEET?
COOPER-ATE. THAT'S THE SQUAD LEADER'S ORDER.
... (SHUT-UP, CHICKEN HEAD)

MY BAD ABOUT THAT KICK!
BUT YOU WERE IN THE WRONG!!
...

(ACTING LIKE A SQUAD LEADER ALREADY, HUH?)
SHIRA-ZU,

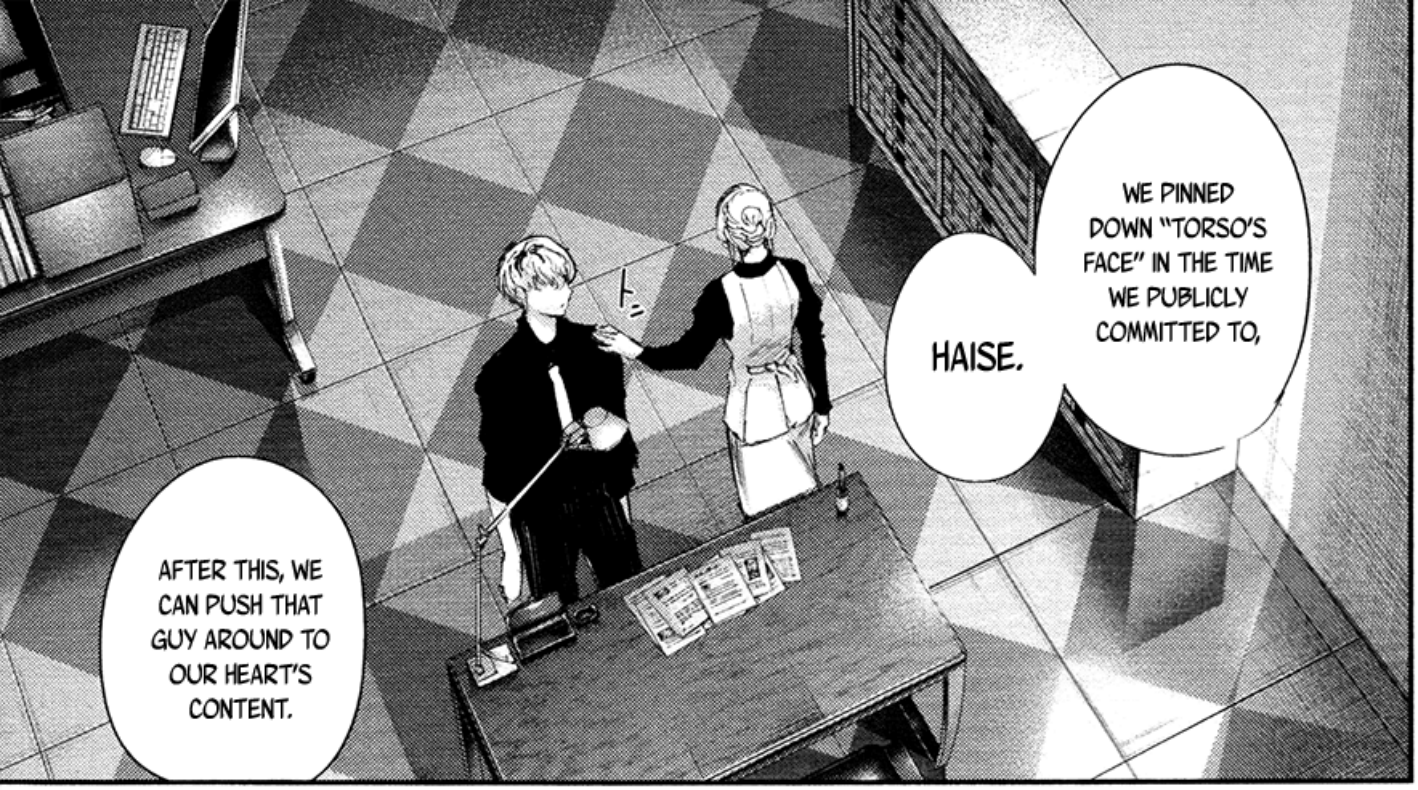
(SWEET RED BEAN SOUP...) IS THIS HAR-ASSMENT?
YEP, YOU HATE SWEET THINGS, DON'T YA?
Drink up!
SHIRA-ZU-KUN...

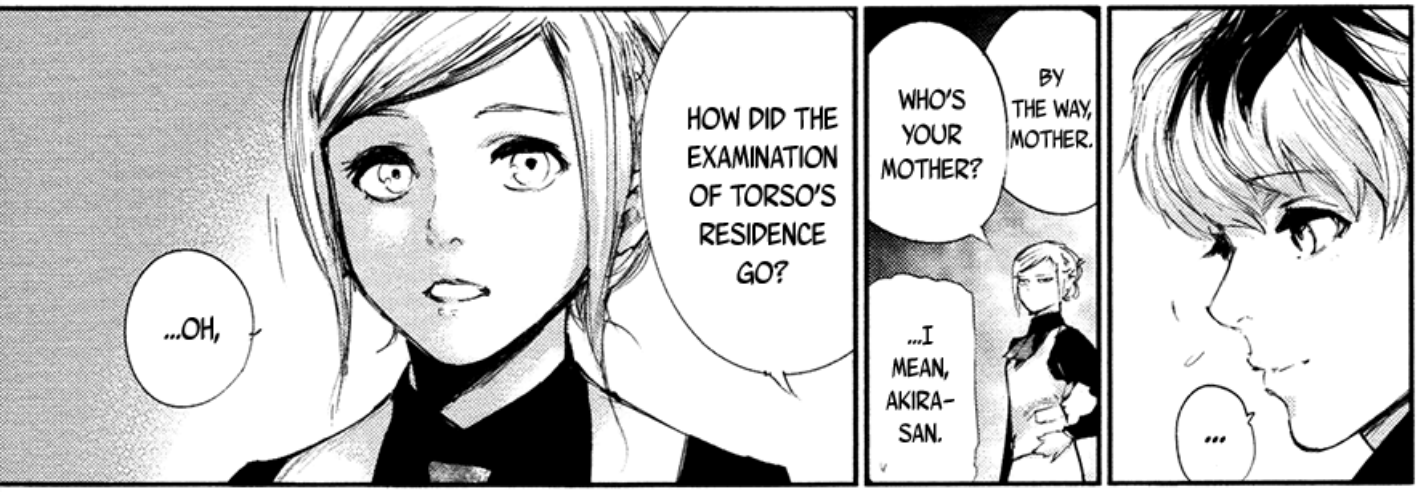
—INCREDIBLE...
Mado Squad Investigation Room

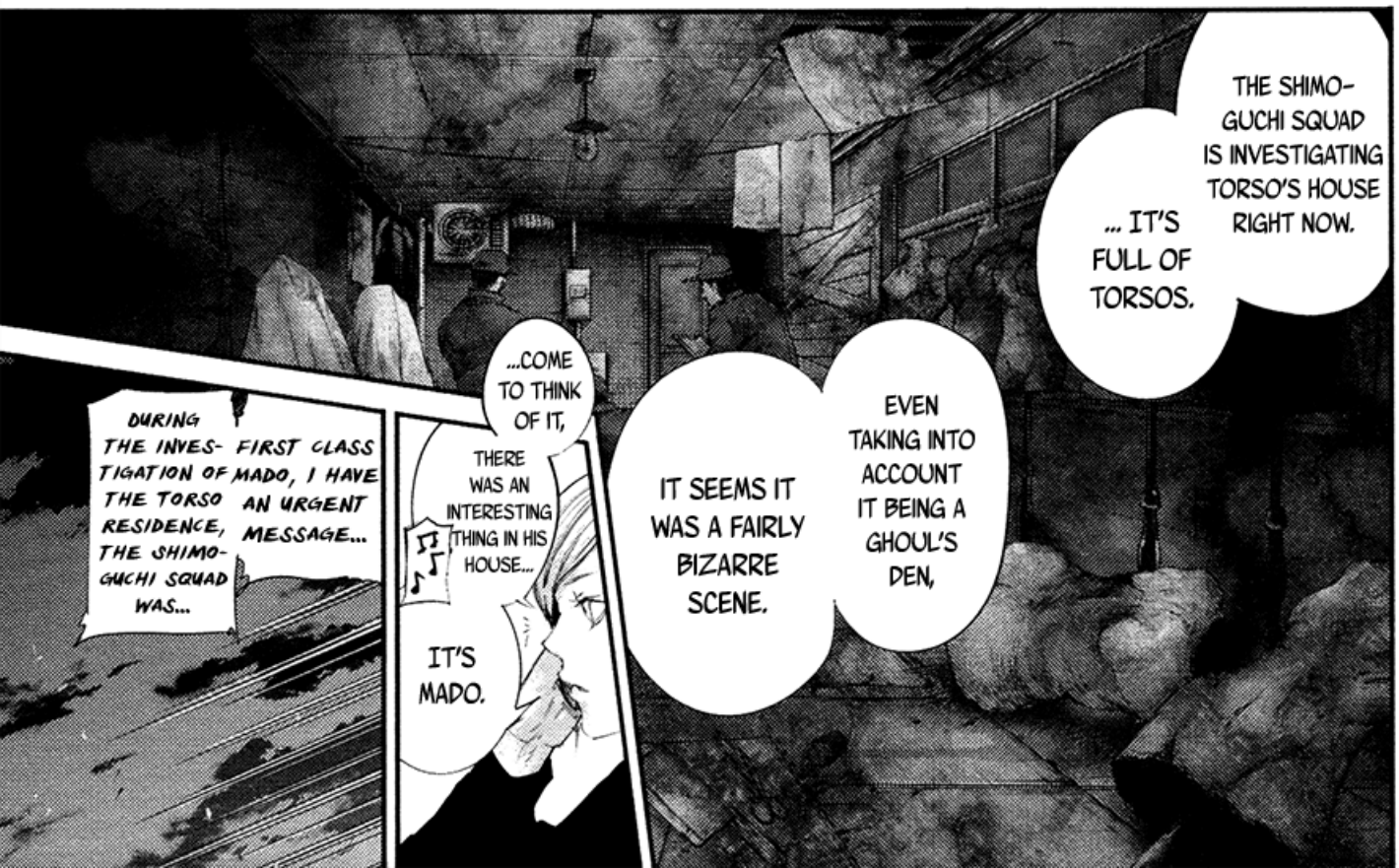
JEEZ, IF THAT SHIMOGUCHI BASTARD
HADN'T BEEN SO UNWILLING
THEN WE'D HAVE PROBABLY BEEN ABLE TO SECURE TORSO ALREADY...

...THE ONLY PEOPLE WHO KNOW ABOUT YOUR RAMPAGE ARE THE PEOPLE WHO WERE AT THE SCENE, HAISE
SHIMOGUCHI IS ALSO NOT GOING TO BE MAKING ANY REFERENCES TO THIS INCIDENT.

THERE IS NO INFORMATION DIRECTLY CONNECTED TO TORSO, BUT...
YEAH,
IF WE'D HAD THIS INFORMATION WE COULD HAVE GUESSED HIS AREA OF ACTIVITY FAIRLY WELL...


WE PINNED DOWN "TORSO'S FACE" IN THE TIME WE PUBLICLY COMMITTED TO,
HAISE.
AFTER THIS, WE CAN PUSH THAT GUY AROUND TO OUR HEART'S CONTENT.


HOW DID THE EXAMINATION OF TORSO'S RESIDENCE GO?
...OH,
BY THE WAY, MOTHER.
WHO'S YOUR MOTHER?
...I MEAN, AKIRA-SAN.
...


THE SHIMO-GUCHI SQUAD IS INVESTIGATING TORSO'S HOUSE RIGHT NOW.
... IT'S FULL OF TORSOS.
EVEN TAKING INTO ACCOUNT IT BEING A GHOUL'S DEN,
IT SEEMS IT WAS A FAIRLY BIZARRE SCENE.
...COME TO THINK OF IT,
THERE WAS AN INTERESTING THING IN HIS HOUSE...
IT'S MADO.
DURING THE INVES-TIGATION OF THE TORSO RESIDENCE, THE SHIMO-GUCHI SQUAD WAS...
FIRST CLASS MADO, I HAVE AN URGENT MESSAGE...

ATTACKED BY

AOGIRI TREE'S SS RATE RABBIT —!!

Quinx Squad Activity Diary

Month (10) Day (9) Weather (cloudy) Person in charge: Ginshi

Object of Investigation (Former Squad Leader Urie)

Activity Details	The night that I became the squad leader, Tooru said "it's unpleasant while you're still quarreling", so I decided to apologize to Urie. But going empty-handed woulda been weird so I decided to buy some juice. Since Urie disslikes sweet stuff, because earlier, he didn't touch a single one of the stemed buns given to him as provisions, so I went and bought sweet red bu~~g~~t soup. (With bean chunks). As I had expected, he made a face like he really dissliked it.

Reflection	I should've probably bought the juice properly.	Special Notes	• I'm thinking I want a motorcycle. • I don't know how to do squad leader stuff. • I'm not confadent in the kanji for "disslike".

[Comment] So, for now have you all reconciled... I wonder?
For the person who brings everyone together, it's important to both scold them and support them. Therefore, I'm glad that you took action. (Thanks to you too, Mutsuki-kun). I think being the squad leader is tough, but I'll also support you with my full power!

Disslike→dislike
confadent→confident
Stemed bun→steamed bun

T/N: Ginshi writes some kanji incorrectly.

Quinx Squad Activity Diary

Month (9) Day (3) Weather ( ) Person in charge: Sasaki

Object of Investigation (Rank 3 Yonebayashi Saiko)

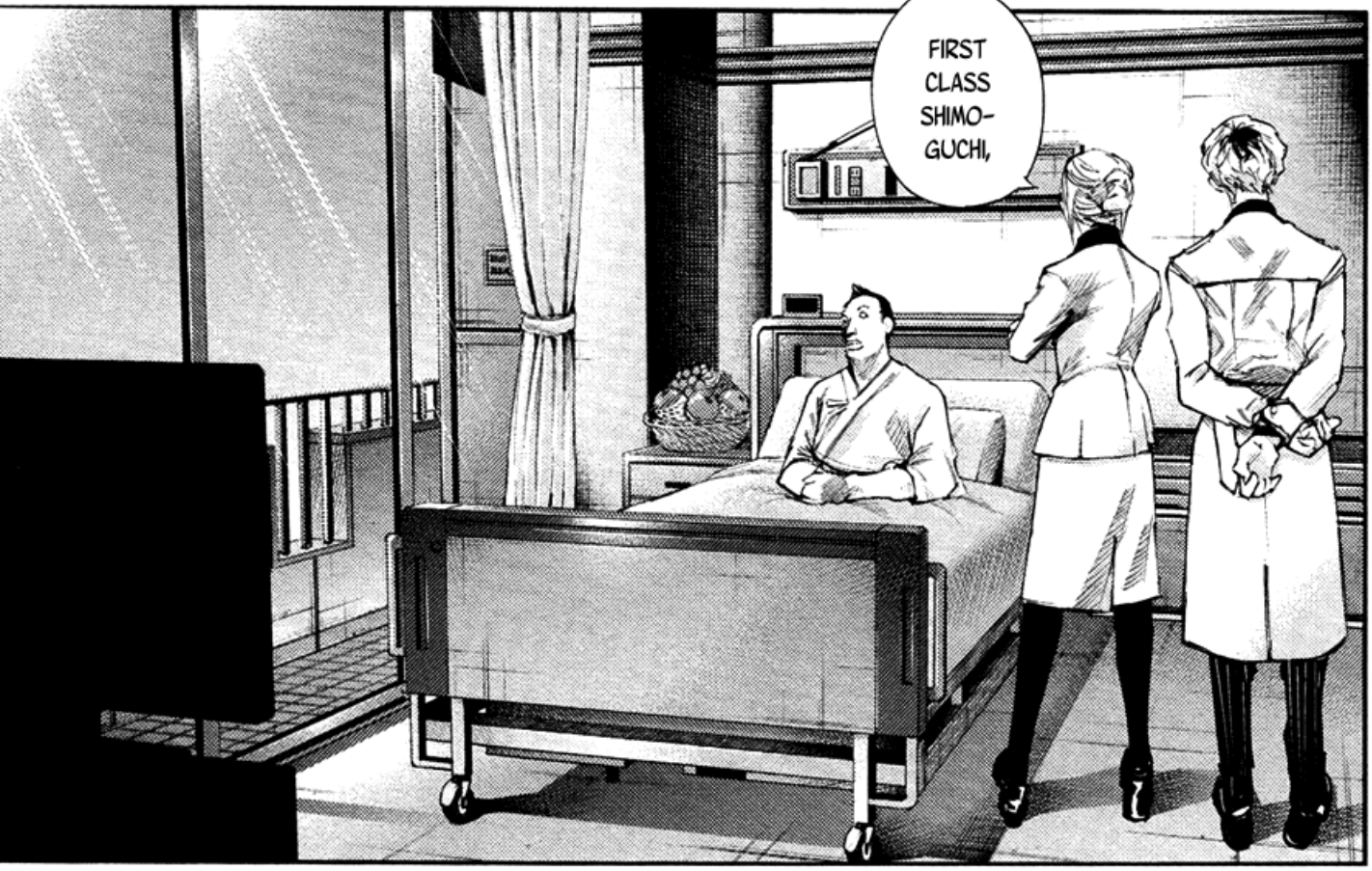
Activity Details	

Reflection		Special Notes	

[Comment]

Please submit the diary.

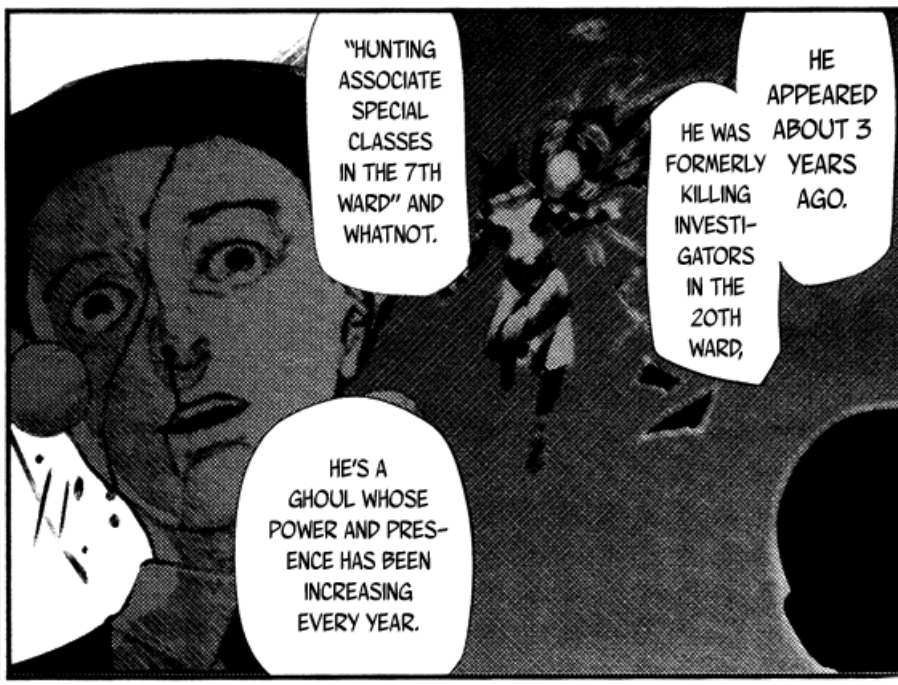
T/N: Hidden meaning = reform



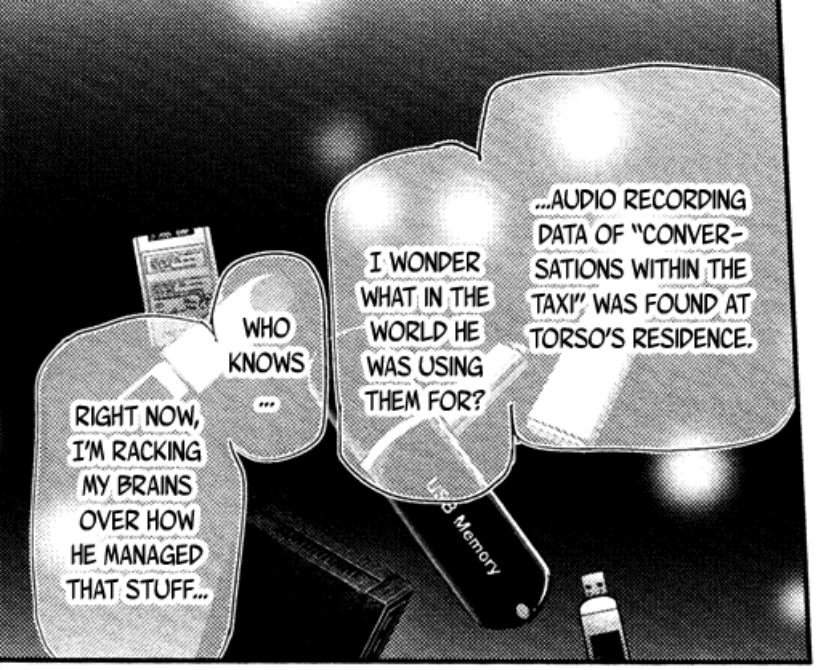
IT WAS
AOGIRI'S SS RATE...
RABBIT?

IT'S THOUGHT THAT HE'S A RELATIVE-LY YOUNG GHOUL.
YEAH,
HE'S ONE OF THE S2 SQUAD'S INVESTIGATION TARGETS, ISN'T HE?

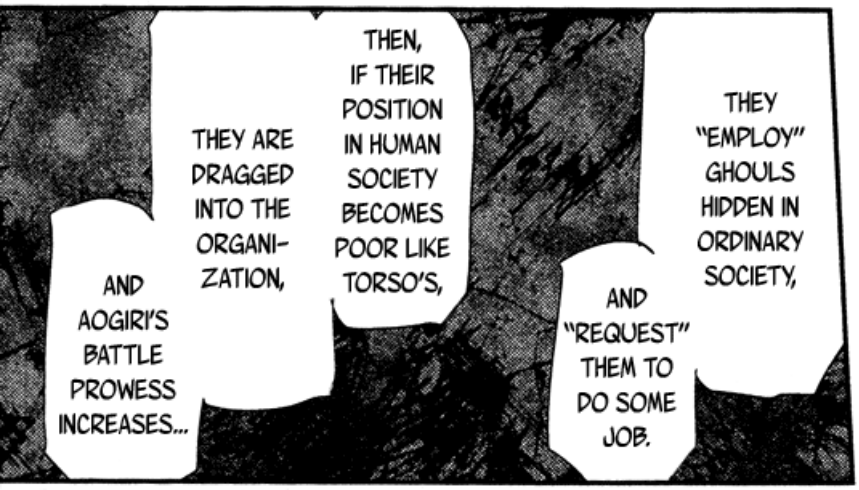
MY DAD, KUREO, WAS KILLED BY THAT GUY AND "FUEGUCHI".
...

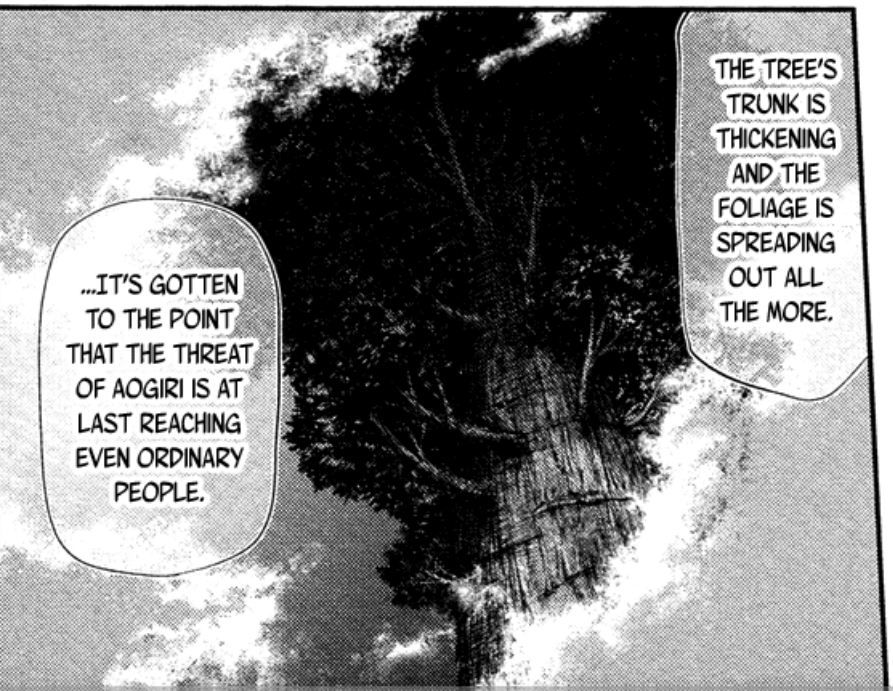

"HUNTING ASSOCIATE SPECIAL CLASSES IN THE 7TH WARD" AND WHATNOT.
HE APPEARED ABOUT 3 YEARS AGO.
HE WAS FORMERLY KILLING INVESTI-GATORS IN THE 20TH WARD,
HE'S A GHOUL WHOSE POWER AND PRES-ENCE HAS BEEN INCREASING EVERY YEAR.

AND THAT ARIMA-SAN HAD LEARNED THE BASICS OF QUINQUES FROM HIM.
I HEARD FROM ARIMA-SAN THAT HE WAS AN EXCEL-LENT ALLY.


...AUDIO RECORDING DATA OF "CONVERSATIONS WITHIN THE TAXI" WAS FOUND AT TORSO'S RESIDENCE.
I WONDER WHAT IN THE WORLD HE WAS USING THEM FOR?
WHO KNOWS ...
RIGHT NOW, I'M RACKING MY BRAINS OVER HOW HE MANAGED THAT STUFF...
USB Memory

BUT THE PROBLEM IS
THAT AOGIRI FORCED HIM TO SPY ON SOME STRANGE DATA.


THEN, IF THEIR POSITION IN HUMAN SOCIETY BECOMES POOR LIKE TORSO'S,
THEY ARE DRAGGED INTO THE ORGANIZATION,
AND AOGIRI'S BATTLE PROWESS INCREASES...
THEY "EMPLOY" GHOULS HIDDEN IN ORDINARY SOCIETY,
AND "REQUEST" THEM TO DO SOME JOB.


THE TREE'S TRUNK IS THICKENING AND THE FOLIAGE IS SPREADING OUT ALL THE MORE.
...IT'S GOTTEN TO THE POINT THAT THE THREAT OF AOGIRI IS AT LAST REACHING EVEN ORDINARY PEOPLE.

BOTH OF THOSE GHOULS ARE NOW ATTACHED TO AOGIRI TREE...

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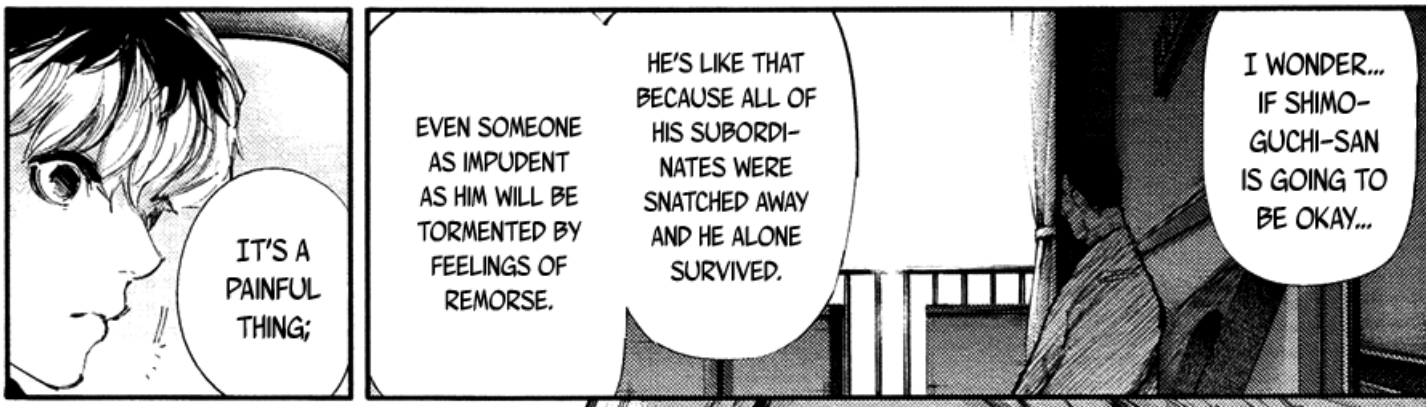
I GUESS IT'S OKAY FOR US TO CONSIDER TORSO "SAEKI KARAO", WHOSE WHEREABOUTS HAVE BEEN CONCEALED,
AS UNDER THE PROTECTION OF AOGIRI TOO.

I THINK THEY'LL BECOME THE SUPPORT FOR ANOTHER SQUAD.
THE SLATE WILL ALSO BE WIPED CLEAN FOR THE QUINX SQUAD'S IN-VESTIGATION.
THAT CAN'T BE HELPED WITH THE SHIMOGUCHI SQUAD, WHICH IS IN CHARGE, IN THAT CONDITION.
THEN AS A RESULT, THIS CASE WILL BE TAKEN OVER BY THE S1-S3 SQUADS.
IF TORSO HAS CRAWLED UNDER THE COVER OF AOGIRI,


IT'S A PAINFUL THING;
EVEN SOMEONE AS IMPUDENT AS HIM WILL BE TORMENTED BY FEELINGS OF REMORSE.
HE'S LIKE THAT BECAUSE ALL OF HIS SUBORDI-NATES WERE SNATCHED AWAY AND HE ALONE SURVIVED.
I WONDER... IF SHIMO-GUCHI-SAN IS GOING TO BE OKAY...

...The always strong Akira-san's profile
looked a little sad.
LOSING THE PEOPLE WHO YOU SPEND TIME WITH.

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医務
A WAY TO STRENGTHEN YOUR KAGUNE?
YES.
LIKE RANK 1 SASAKI'S?
...
"SQUAD LEADER", IT'S TRUE THAT YOU AND SHIRAZU-KUN ARE...
THE SQUAD LEADER IS SHIRAZU.
(WAS THAT ON PURPOSE, YOU OLD GEEZER?)
イラッ
...WHOOPS, HOW RUDE OF ME.
"URIE-KUN", IT SEEMS THAT YOU AND THE "SQUAD LEADER" HAVE BECOME PRETTY ADEPT AT USING YOUR KAGUNE.
SO I UNDERSTAND YOUR DESIRE FOR MORE POWER.
SHALL I EXPLAIN ABOUT YOU GUYS' BODIES ONCE AGAIN?

THE QUINX SURGERY —

CHIGYOU KOUITSU GOT THE IDEA FROM THE "HALF-GHOULIFICATION SURGERY" PERFORMED ON RANK 1 SASAKI BY KANOU.

ALSO CALLED THE "KAKUHOU IMPLANT METHOD",

THAT PROCESS APPLIES THE PRINCIPLES OF QUINQUE MANUFACTURE.

THE POINTS OF DIFFERENCE BETWEEN IT AND THE QUINQUES ARE THAT THE KAKUHOU TAKEN FROM GHOULS IS COATED IN QUINQUE STEEL MATERIAL,

AND INSTEAD OF BEING IN A "CASE", IT'S "IMPLANTED IN THE BODY".

Kakuhou

"5 LEVELS" OF "FRAMES" WERE CREATED FOR THE IMPLANTATION OF THE KAKUHOU.

WITHIN THEM, THE RATE OF THE KAKUHOU PERFORMANCE CAN BE ADJUSTED.

THIS IS FOR THE SAKE OF LESSENING THE RISKS AND MAKING MEDICAL OBSERVATIONS MORE EFFICIENT.

F1 25

F2 50

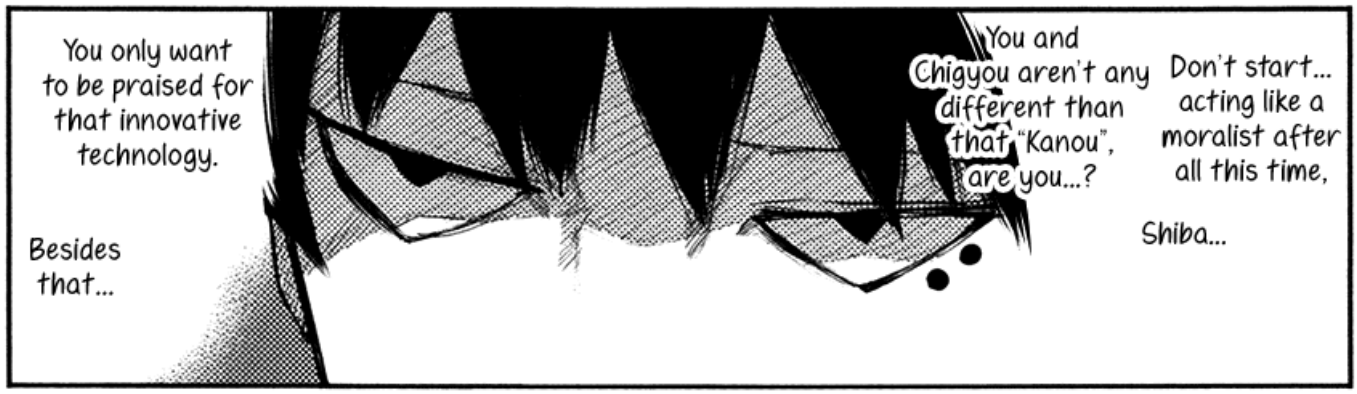
F3 65

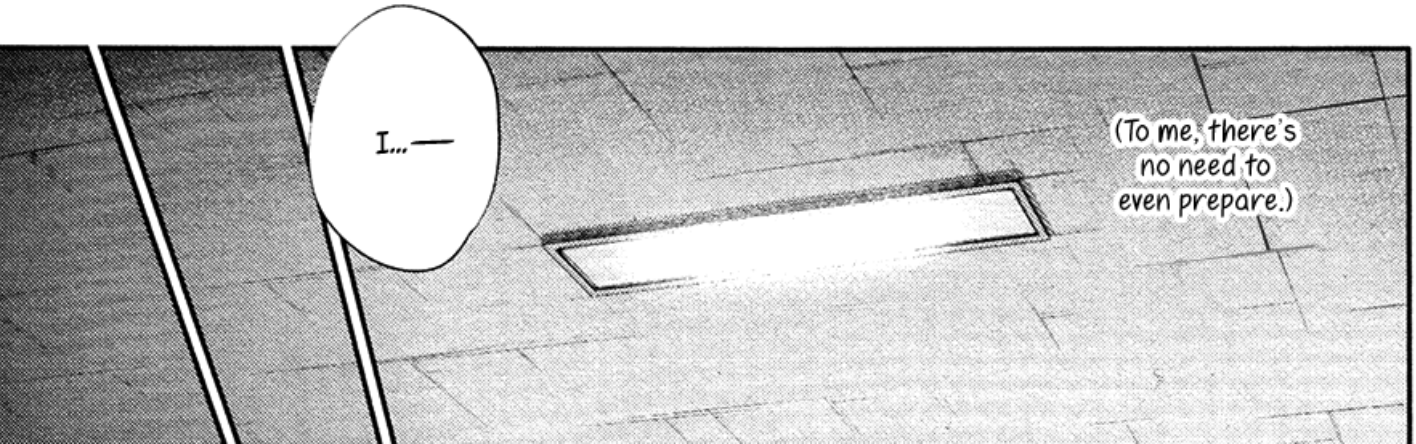
F4 80

F5 100

F1
20%
F2
40%
RIGHT NOW, EVERYONE'S GATES ARE SET AT "F2".
THE KAKUHOU PERFORMANCE LEVEL IS AT 40%.
IN OTHER WORDS,

IF THE "FRAME" LEVEL IS RAISED,
THEN I'LL BE ABLE TO USE A MORE POWERFUL KAGUNE.
I DON'T RECOM-MEND IT.

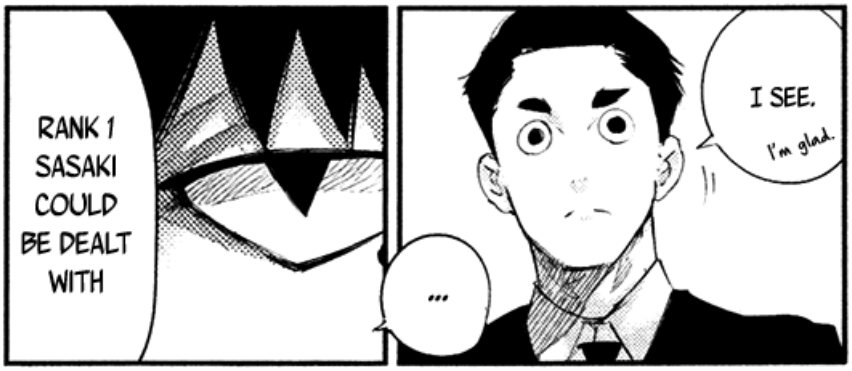

Don't start... acting like a moralist after all this time, Shiba...
You and Chigyou aren't any different than that "Kanou", are you...?
You only want to be praised for that innovative technology.
Besides that...


(To me, there's no need to even prepare.)
I...—

....KUROIWA.
—URIE.
Kuroiwa Takeomi (20)
[Rank 2 Investigator]
182 cm 77kg

...OUR SQUAD'S MENTOR ISN'T THAT "SOFT".
IF YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT THE RECENT CASE...

...
IS RANK 1 SASAKI DOING WELL?


RANK 1 SASAKI COULD BE DEALT WITH
...
I SEE.
I'm glad.

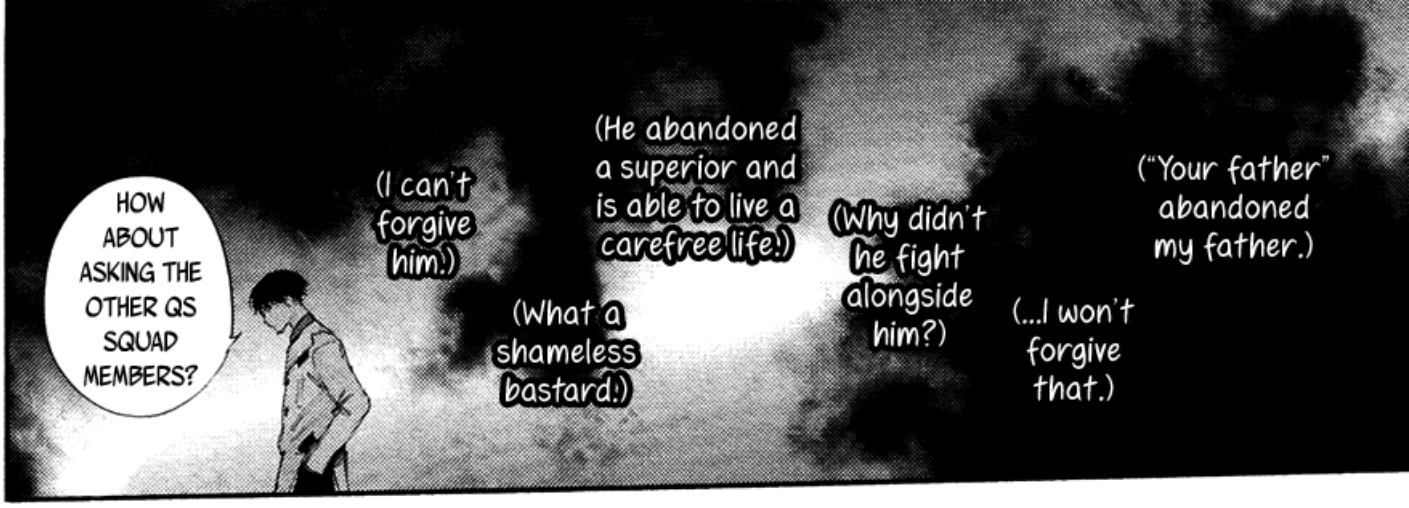
THANKS TO THE SUPPORT OF FIRST CLASS HIRAKO AND RANK 1 ITOU...
Don't be proud.... Kuroiwa...
YEAH.
OF COURSE.
They have davily devotion.

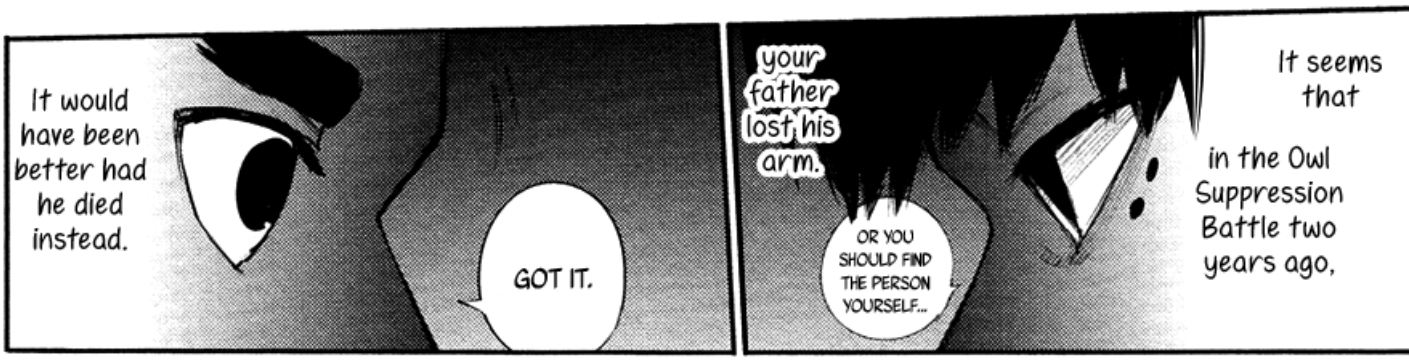
I WOULD LIKE TO APOLOGIZE TO RANK 1 SASAKI PERSONALLY.
WHEN WOULD IT BE CONVENIENT FOR ME TO VISIT HIM?

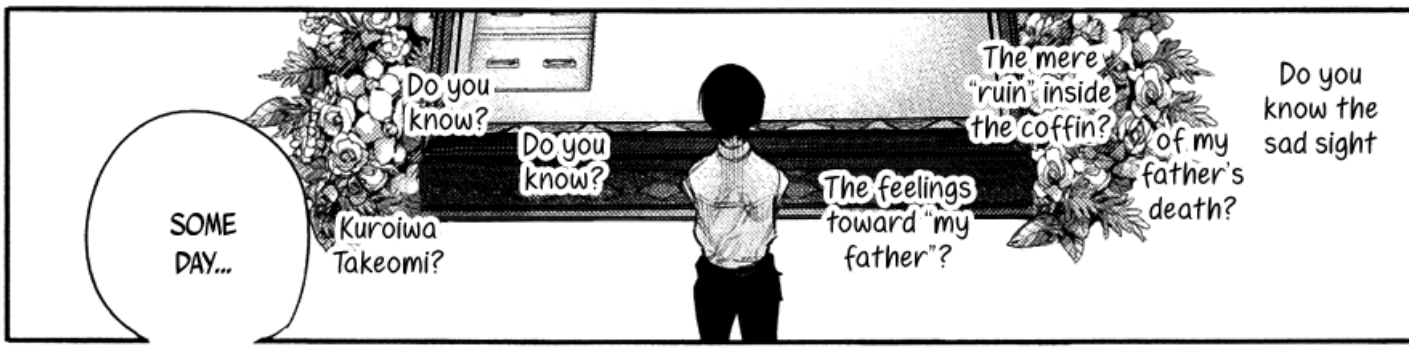
(BE A LITTLE PROUD)...
(YOU'RE A RANK 2 (JUST LIKE ME) AND YOU'VE DEALT WITH AN SS RATE, YOU FUCKER...)
...ALTHOUGH IT WAS IN THE RULES, I POINTED MY SWORD AT A SUPERIOR.

Kuroiwa...
... SORRY,

(Don't talk to me with that attitude of "not feeling anything".)
(You piss me off.)
(Be apologetic.)
(Avoid me more.)
...I DON'T KNOW THE RANK 1'S SCHEDULE.


HOW ABOUT ASKING THE OTHER QS SQUAD MEMBERS?
(I can't forgive him.)
(What a shameless bastard.)
(He abandoned a superior and is able to live a carefree life.)
(Why didn't he fight alongside him?)
(...I won't forgive that.)
("Your father" abandoned my father.)


It would have been better had he died instead.
GOT IT.
your father lost his arm.
OR YOU SHOULD FIND THE PERSON YOURSELF...
It seems that in the Owl Suppression Battle two years ago,


SOME DAY...
Do you know?
Kuroiwa Takeomi?
Do you know?
The feelings toward "my father"?
The mere "ruin" inside the coffin?
of my father's death?
Do you know the sad sight

—IF YOU JOIN AOGIRI,
IT WON'T BE SO EASY TO LEAVE.
THE RANK 1 WILL HAVE A WELCOME FOR SURE.
(WHY ME?)
(Why,)
...THAT'S TRUE.
I'D ALSO LIKE TO REQUEST RANK 1 SASAKI TO TEACH ME THE BASICS.
HIS SWORDSMANSHIP IS ELEGANT,
AND HIS MOVEMENTS FLOW LIKE WATER.
(Why you?)

...THIS IS JUST A WARNING, BUT
THE "HIGHER UPS" WON'T BE AS SOFT ON YOU AS WE ARE.
...WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO? THINK ON IT WELL AND DECIDE.
MY FACE WAS REVEALED...
SO EVEN IF I LEAVE...
....
...That's right. And besides...
If I use Aogiri...
perhaps "she" will...
SAEKI.
Y-YES??
UMM...
AYATO.
AYATO-KUN...
...DON'T BE SO AFRAID.
I'D ONLY LIKE TO HEAR YOUR STORY A BIT....
WAS THERE A GUY CALLED "SASAKI"...
WITH THOSE "QS GUYS"...?

—SO THEN, SASSAN...

WHAT TYPE OF MISSION... IS THE SHIRAZU SQUAD'S NEW MISSION?

BUT I THOUGHT I'D DRESS THE PART...!

AH.

FUCK...

HER RATE IS STILL BEING DETER-MINED.

OUR NEW TARGET IS NUT-CRACKER,

GRIN.

IT'S "SOMETHING THAT BREAKS OPEN WAL-NUTS"...

WHAT'S A "NUT-CRACKER"?

HURRY UP AND TOUCH MY... WHOA.

HU... HURRY UP...

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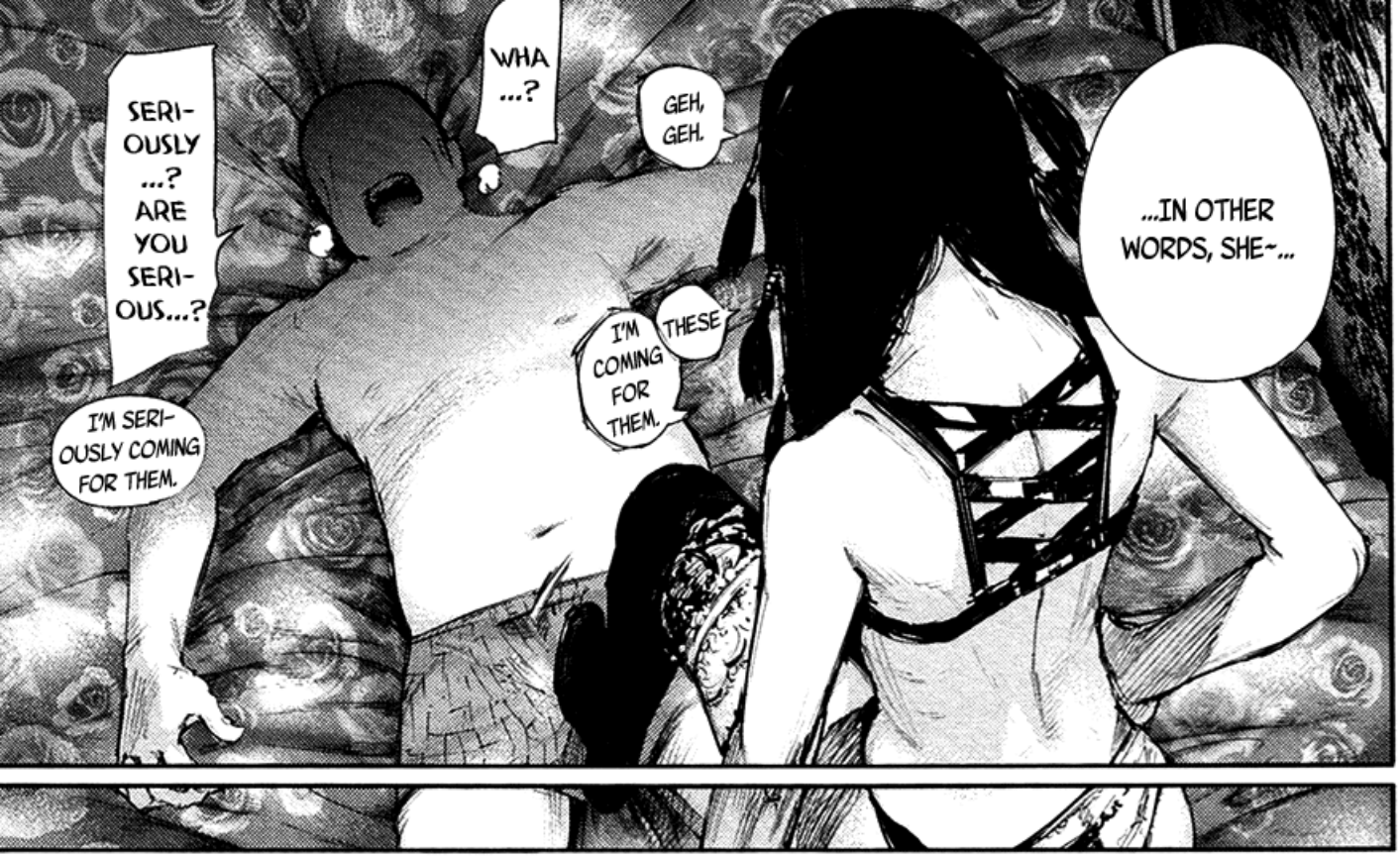
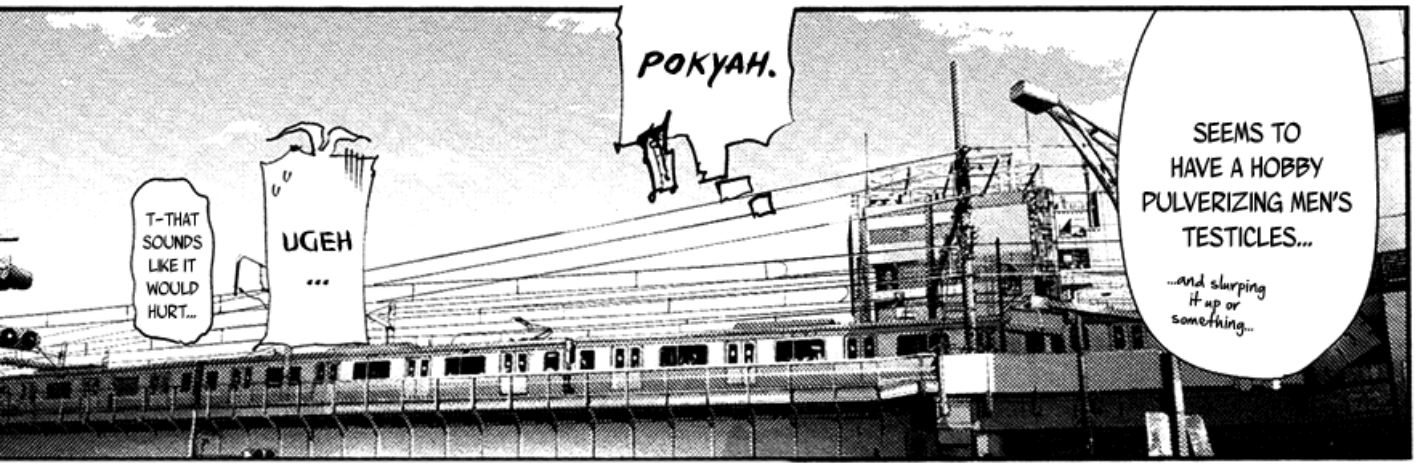
...NUT-CRACKER?

Candy?

NOPE.


...IN OTHER WORDS, SHE~...
GEH, GEH.
WHA ...?
THESE I'M COMING FOR THEM.
SERI-OUSLY ...? ARE YOU SERI-OUS...?
I'M SERI-OUSLY COMING FOR THEM.

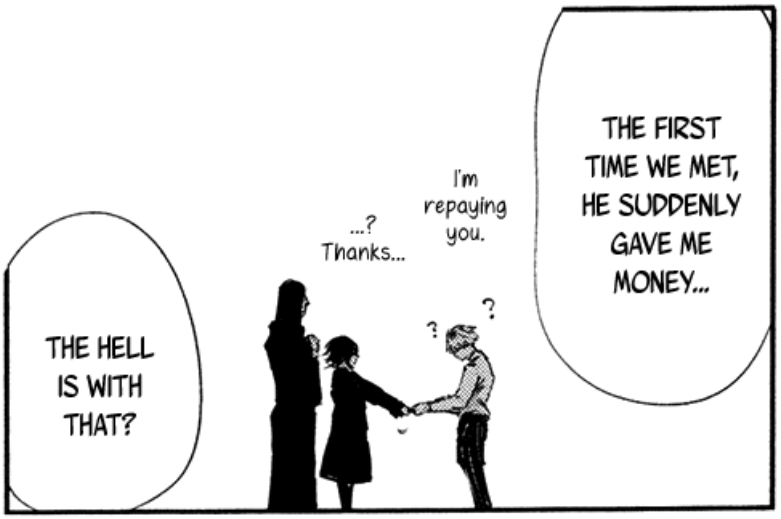

SEEMS TO HAVE A HOBBY PULVERIZING MEN'S TESTICLES...
...and slurping it up or something...
POKYAH.
UGEH ...
T-THAT SOUNDS LIKE IT WOULD HURT...

THE 13TH WARD'S SUZUYA SQUAD IS LEADING THE INVESTIGATION.
SUZUYA-SAN IS, UMM?
8 - 20

SINCE TORSO WAS LOST, THAT INVESTI-GATION HAS BEEN TEMPORARILY DIS-CONTINUED...

WE'LL BE ACTING AS SUPPORT FOR THIS INVESTI-GATION.
Be careful that you don't get pulverized, okay?

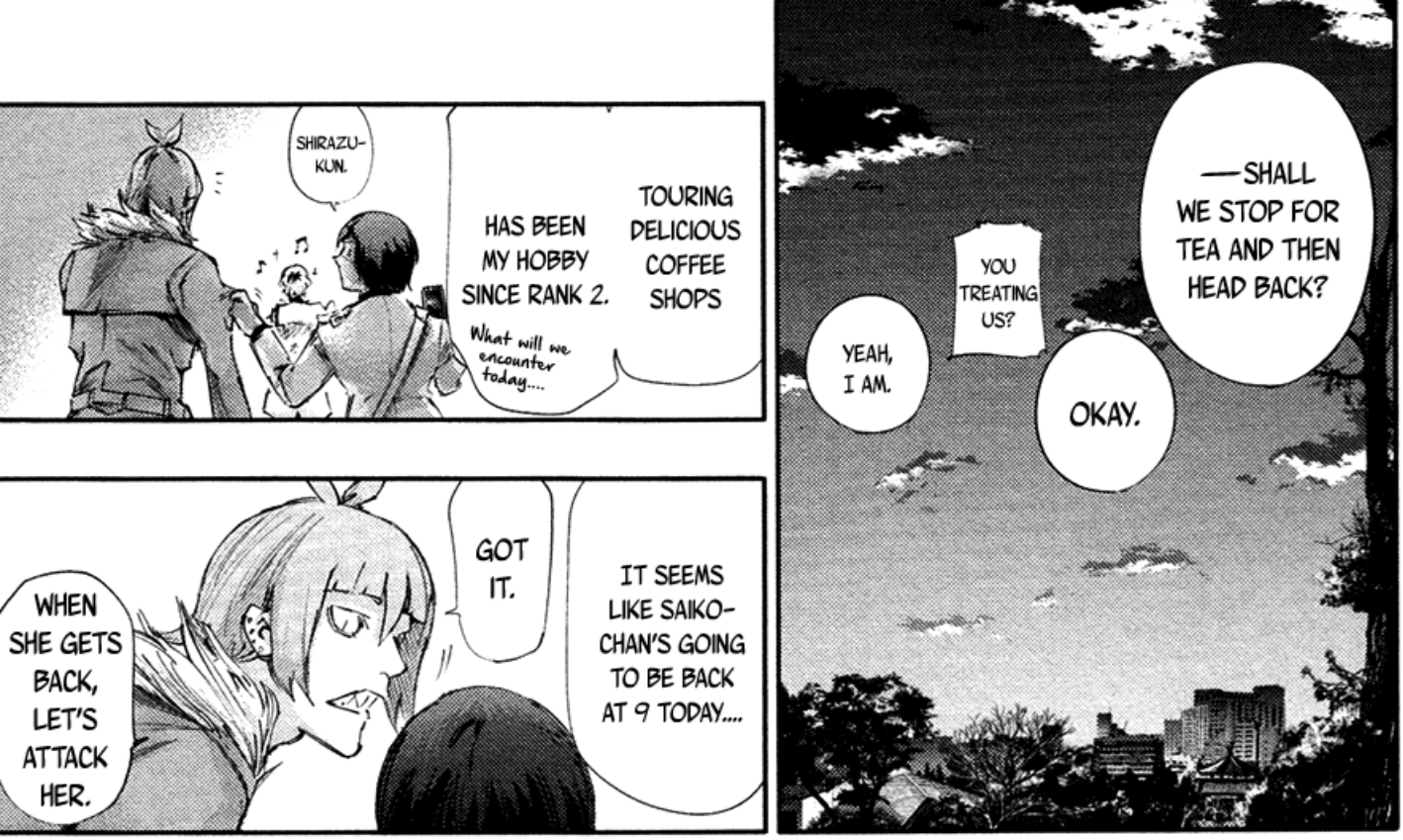
THAT GUY'S KNIFE IS TOP NOTCH.
SO IT'D BE GREAT IF YOU COULD LEARN FROM HIM, MUTSUKI-KUN.
OH, THAT'S RIGHT.
YOU HAVE FRAIFRAN AND ABRAXA, RIGHT?
THAT'S COMPLETELY WRONG, SHIRAZU-KUN...


THE FIRST TIME WE MET, HE SUDDENLY GAVE ME MONEY...
I'm repaying you.
...? Thanks...
THE HELL IS WITH THAT?

SASSAN, DO YOU GET ALONG WITH JUUZOU-SAN?
HM~ I WONDER ABOUT THAT.

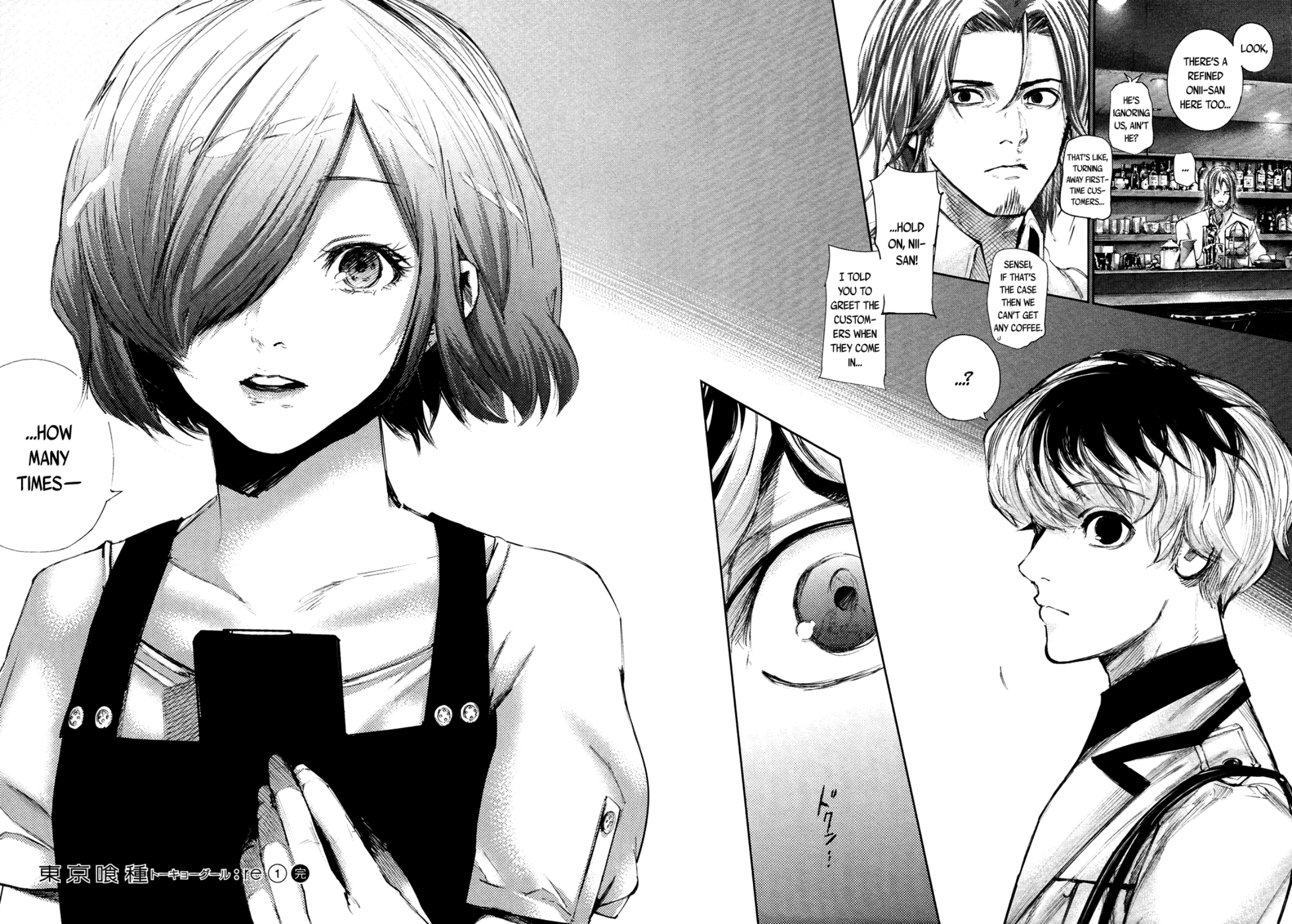
"A LITTLE QUIRKY"
"ENTHU-SIASM FOR HIS WORK"
SASSAN IS THE ONE SAYING THAT?

HE'S A LITTLE QUIRKY, BUT HE HAS EN-THUSIASM FOR HIS WORK;
I GUESS I LIKE HIM.


SHIRAZU-KUN.
TOURING DELICIOUS COFFEE SHOPS
HAS BEEN MY HOBBY SINCE RANK 2.
What will we encounter today....
—SHALL WE STOP FOR TEA AND THEN HEAD BACK?
YOU TREATING US?
YEAH, I AM.
OKAY.
IT SEEMS LIKE SAIKO-CHAN'S GOING TO BE BACK AT 9 TODAY....
GOT IT.
WHEN SHE GETS BACK, LET'S ATTACK HER.

...AR... EE?
:re
coffee
I WONDER HOW IT'S PRONOUNCED.
"RAY"?
IT'S "RE", ISN'T IT?
SHALL WE GO IN?

...MM MM...
THIS AROMA...
THIS SHOP IS DEFINITELY GOING TO HAVE DELICIOUS COFFEE...
MY "NOSE-KAGUNE" IS WHISPERING THAT TO ME!
MAN, RC CELLS ARE RAD.
"NOSE-KAGUNE" ...?
ナニ...?


LOOK,
THERE'S A REFINED ONII-SAN HERE TOO...
HE'S IGNORING US, AIN'T HE?
...
THAT'S LIKE, TURNING AWAY FIRST-TIME CUSTOMERS...
...HOLD ON, NII-SAN!
I TOLD YOU TO GREET THE CUSTOMERS WHEN THEY COME IN...
SENSEI, IF THAT'S THE CASE THEN WE CAN'T GET ANY COFFEE.
...?
ドクン!
...HOW MANY TIMES—
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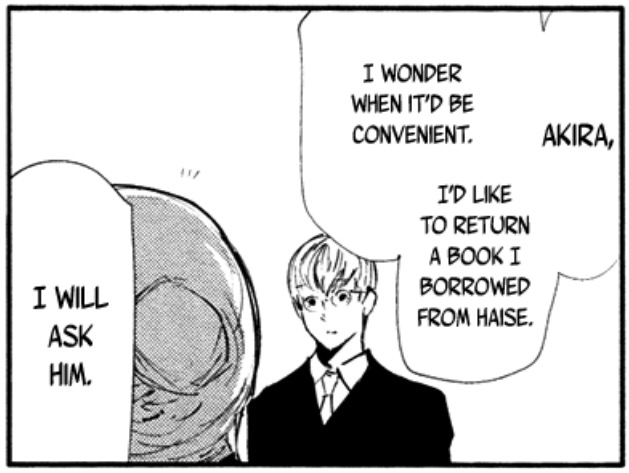
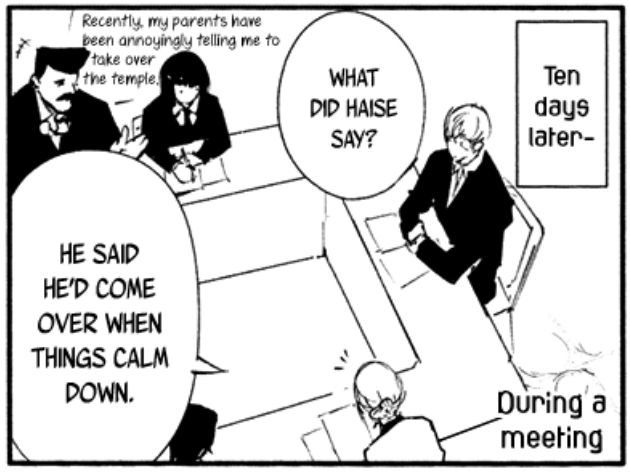
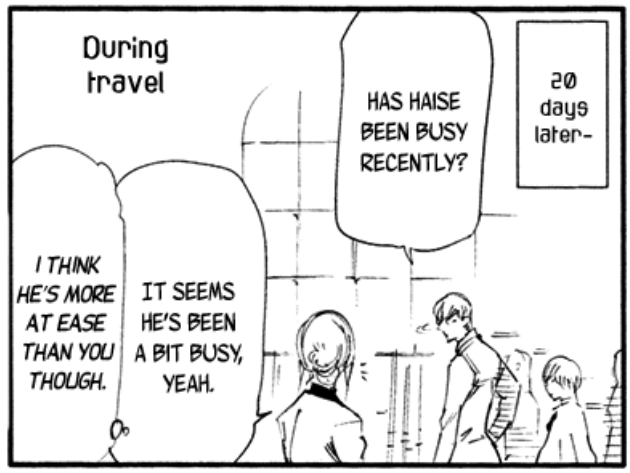
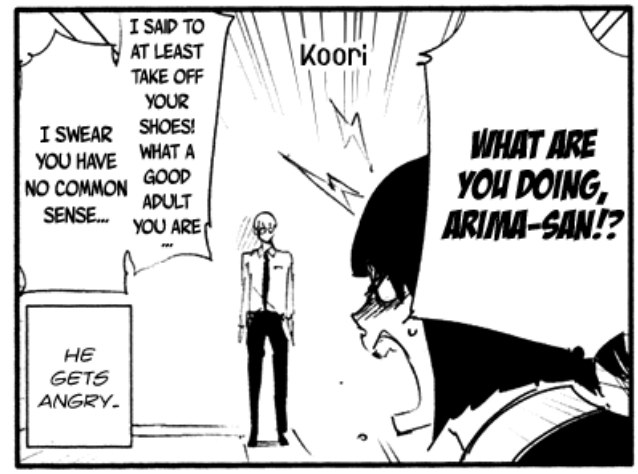

I WONDER WHEN IT'D BE CONVENIENT.
AKIRA,
I'D LIKE TO RETURN A BOOK I BORROWED FROM HAISE.
I WILL ASK HIM.

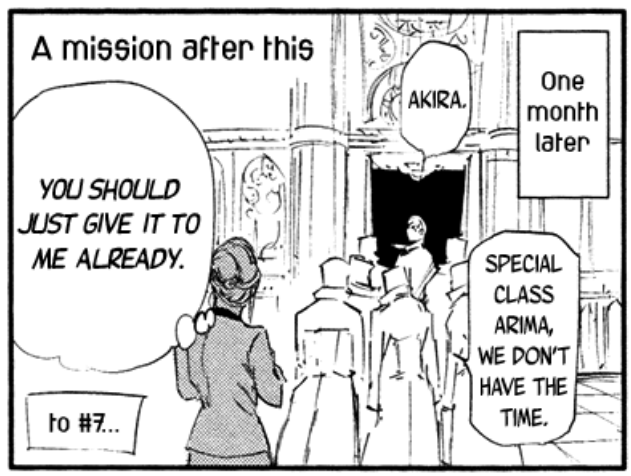
When he climes onto the desk—
LET'S PLAY A GAME.

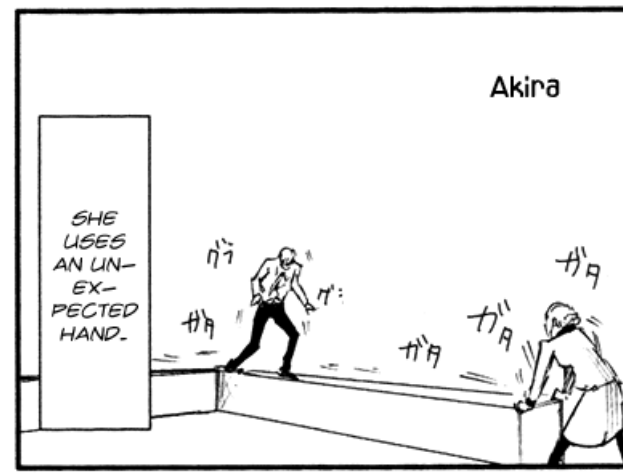

Recently, my parents have been annoyingly telling me to take over the temple.
WHAT DID HAISE SAY?
Ten days later-
HE SAID HE'D COME OVER WHEN THINGS CALM DOWN.
During a meeting

Take
Haise
...
TODAY, I'LL WIN ONE!
HE GETS ON SI-LENT-LY.
HE JUMPS UP IN HIGH SPIRITS.
All right, it's time!


During travel
HAS HAISE BEEN BUSY RECENTLY?
20 days later-
I THINK HE'S MORE AT EASE THAN YOU THOUGH.
IT SEEMS HE'S BEEN A BIT BUSY, YEAH.


Koori
I SAID TO AT LEAST TAKE OFF YOUR SHOES! WHAT A GOOD ADULT YOU ARE ...
I SWEAR YOU HAVE NO COMMON SENSE...
WHAT ARE YOU DOING, ARIMA-SAN!?
HE GETS ANGRY.

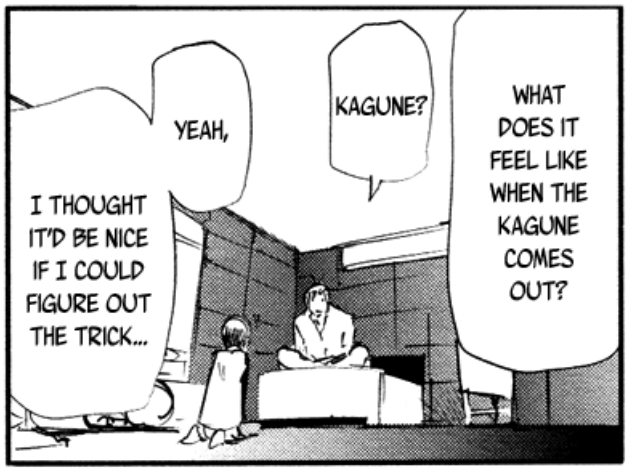

A mission after this
AKIRA.
One month later
YOU SHOULD JUST GIVE IT TO ME ALREADY.
SPECIAL CLASS ARIMA, WE DON'T HAVE THE TIME.
to #7...

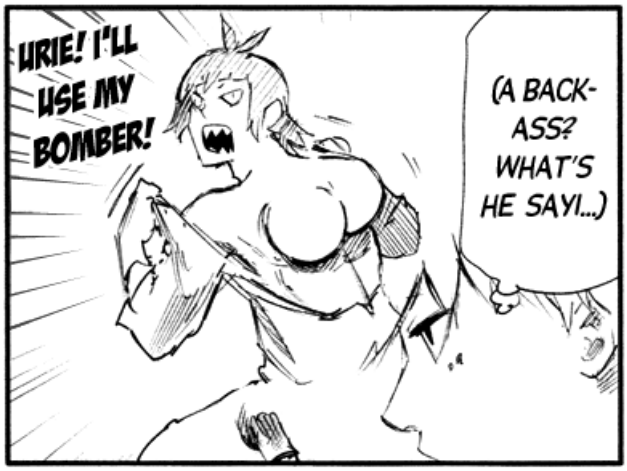

Akira
SHE USES AN UN-EX-PECTED HAND.

URIE-KUN.
...WHAT IS IT?

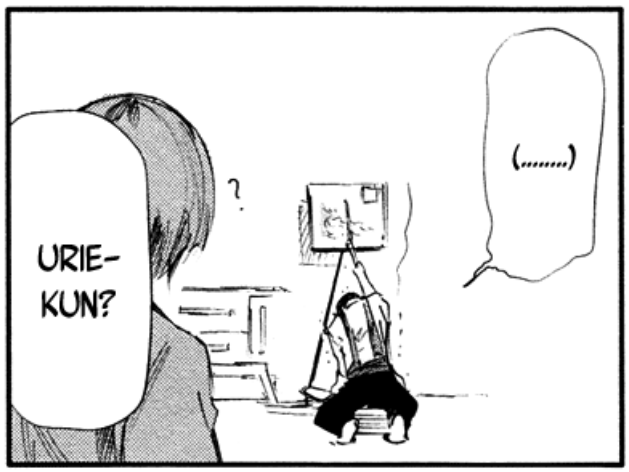
SHIRAZU-KUN.
OH, WHAT'S UP?

KAGUNE ?....
DOES IT FEEL LIKE YOUR BACK HAS AN ASS...?
THAT'S WHAT SHIRAZU-KUN SAID BUT...
WHAT'S IT FEEL LIKE WHEN THE KAGUNE COMES OUT...?

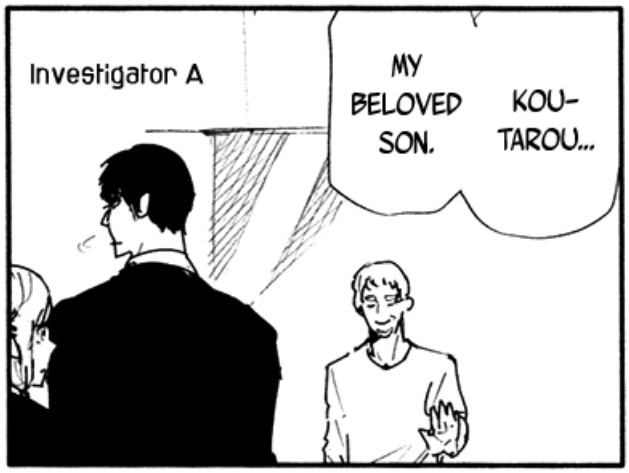

KAGUNE?
YEAH, I THOUGHT IT'D BE NICE IF I COULD FIGURE OUT THE TRICK...
WHAT DOES IT FEEL LIKE WHEN THE KAGUNE COMES OUT?

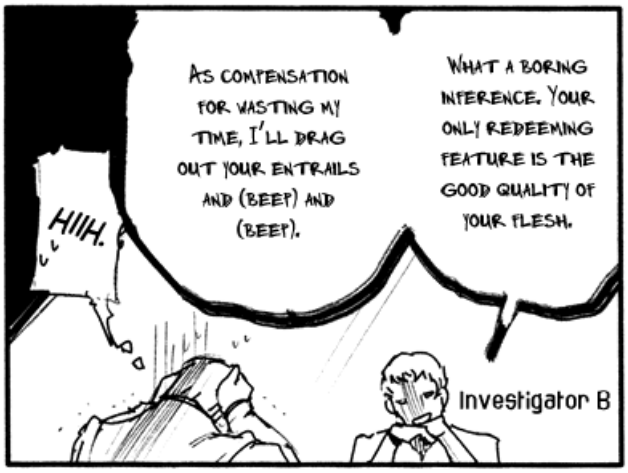

URIE! I'LL USE MY BOMBER!
(A BACK-ASS? WHAT'S HE SAYI...)

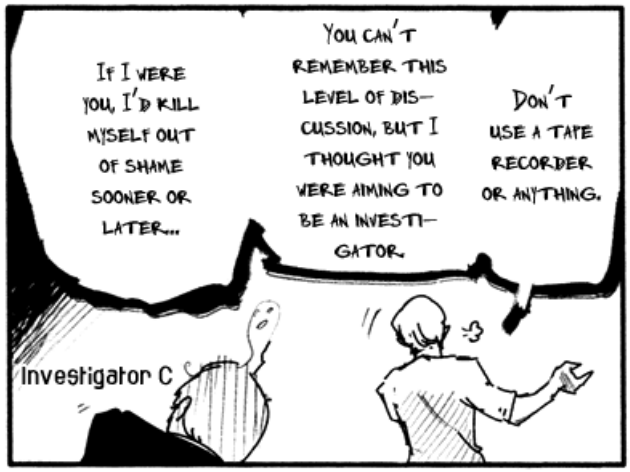
LET'S SEE...
...


(.....)
?
URIE-KUN?

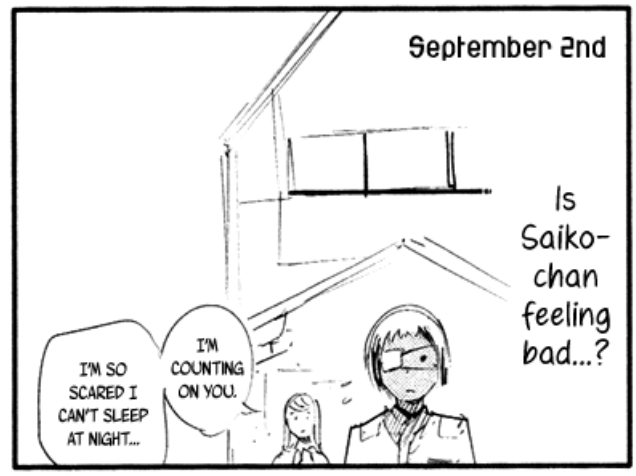
IT FEELS LIKE AN ASSHOLE OPENS UP ON YOUR BACK AND THEN YOU TAKE A SHIT.
...







T/N: Bujin and Takeomi have the same kanji but pronounced differently. A different reading of "bujin" means "military man".



YONE@armpitsweatwhoosh 1 hr ago
Since I was irritated, I brought out the Golden Lion Dance.

YONE@armpitsweatwhoosh 55 mins ago
aah... The Gold Lion is beautiful... very impressive...
Its figure is so majestic... Lovely thing...

YONE@armpitsweatwhoosh 50 mins ago
@RebelliousMasao Isn't it though?

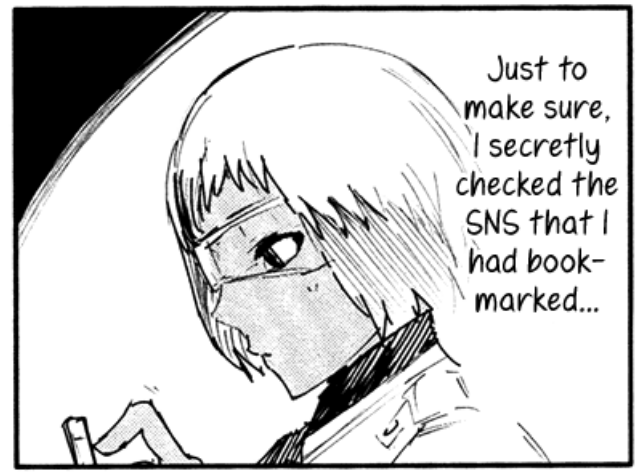
YONE@armpitsweatwhoosh 45 mins ago
Maman (a co-worker) is calling me. Here I go—

YONE@armpitsweatwhoosh 12 mins ago
Sasaki Food is soooooo good!!!!!)
The Rc Cells are gonna accumulate in my belly agaaaain. (((´ ^ ω ^ `)))

YONE@armpitsweatwhoosh 7 mins ago
Waaah. Recently, Maman's eyes have been sooo scary... (ノД`)

YONE@armpitsweatwhoosh 5 mins ago
I wonder if there is some job where you do things like eating food, gaming and watching anime. Then I'd work every day... (ノД`) For now, I've washed the tableware...

YONE@armpitsweatwhoosh Recently
I wonder what tomorrow's dinner is (☆・´ω・`)
Food food.

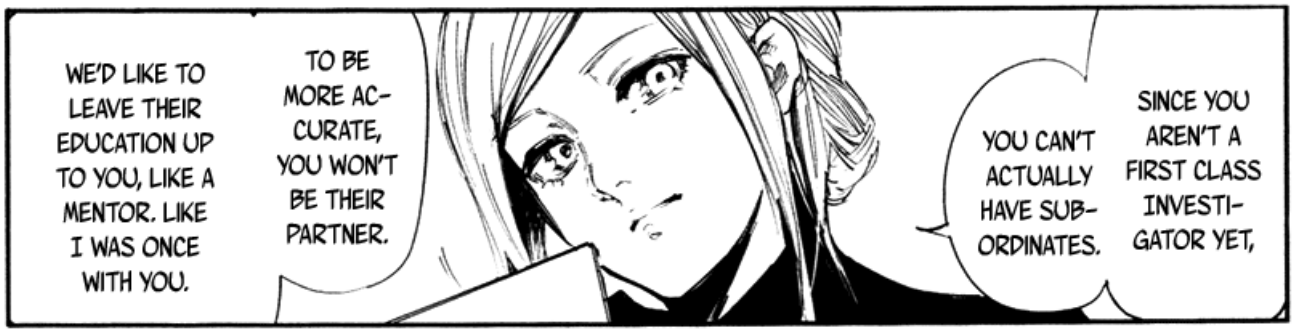


YONE@Investifeels 1 hr ago
A (fat) angel has come down to Akiba

YONE@Investifeels 55 mins ago
I got a limited edition white P-man figure... ☆(> ω •)v
It' ll be the guardian deity of my room☆☆Shriveled up★★
Shriveled nipples

YONE@Investifeels 40 mins ago
Pouring the sweat craaaaap (;;˚ :; ë ::˚ :)))
Soup broth is coming ouuuut

Staff
井手瑞紀
松崎
修行コウタ
橋本
原口
A SUBORDINATE... FOR ME?
YEAH.
Comic Design
ミヤザキヒデアキ (L.S.D.)
Magazine Design
高岡美幸
出待晃恵 (POCKET)


WE'D LIKE TO LEAVE THEIR EDUCATION UP TO YOU, LIKE A MENTOR. LIKE I WAS ONCE WITH YOU.
TO BE MORE ACCURATE, YOU WON'T BE THEIR PARTNER.
YOU CAN'T ACTUALLY HAVE SUBORDINATES.
SINCE YOU AREN'T A FIRST CLASS INVESTIGATOR YET,

THE BUREAU DIRECTOR WILL TALK TO YOU ABOUT THAT.
...THERE'S A SPECIAL REASON.
BUT, WHY ME...?

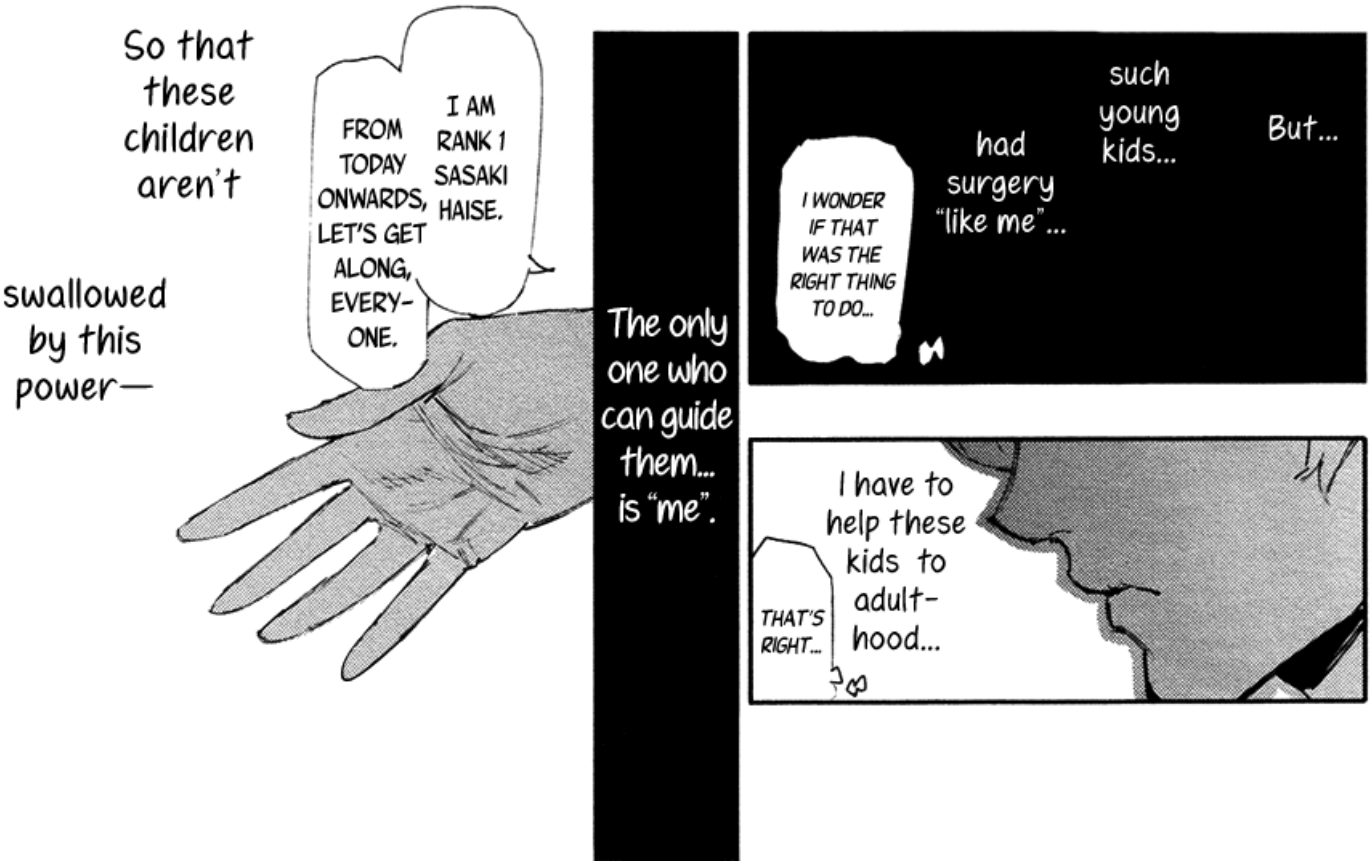
FOUR!?
THERE ARE FOUR!?
TAKE GOOD CARE OF YOUR FOUR SUBORDINATES, HAISE.

I FOUND SOME TRACES OF A GHOUL!
SASAKI-SAN!!
If it's a cheerful and refreshing person, I'll be happy...
I wonder what type of person it'll be...

THE OFFICIAL APPOINTMENT WILL BE HANDED TO YOU IN A FEW DAYS.
THIS IS A DIRECT REQUEST FROM BUREAU DIRECTOR WASHUU.

He gives off a diligent feeling. I wonder if he's a bit shy...?
IS HE INJURED?
I... I AM RANK 3 MUTSUKI TOORU.
Ah... Urie-kun is in fact an honor student.
SEEMS TALENTED.
—I AM RANK 2 URIE.
I'M YONEBAYASHI SAIKO. MY HOBBIES ARE GAMES AND ANIME. I ALSO LIKE MANGA, COLLECTING FIGURES, AND NET SURFING TOO. WHEN I WATCH A SERIES, I FINISH IT IN ONE DAY. AND, I ALSO LIKE DRAWING, THOUGH I SAY "DRAWING", I DON'T MEAN REALISTIC PICTURES. INSTEAD, I MEAN 2D DRAWINGS. I DRAW CHARACTERS THAT I LIKE-
Is she an otaku?
I'M SHIRAZU GINSHI.
Kinda seems like a delinquent.

RANK 1 SASAKI, I'D LIKE FOR YOU TO GO ABOUT DAILY LIFE WITH THESE PEOPLE AND GIVE THEM ALL-OUT GUIDANCE.
...
So difficult...
These kids are... my subordinates...
FROM MANGA, GAMES, AND ANIME. RECENTLY, I'VE BEEN FANGIRLING OVER IDOLS TOO. ESPECIALLY CHIKA AI—
SAIKO, SHUT UP, YOU IDIOT.


So that these children aren't swallowed by this power—
I AM RANK 1 SASAKI HAISE.
FROM TODAY ONWARDS, LET'S GET ALONG, EVERY-ONE.
The only one who can guide them... is "me".
But... such young kids... had surgery "like me"...
I WONDER IF THAT WAS THE RIGHT THING TO DO...
I have to help these kids to adult-hood...
THAT'S RIGHT...